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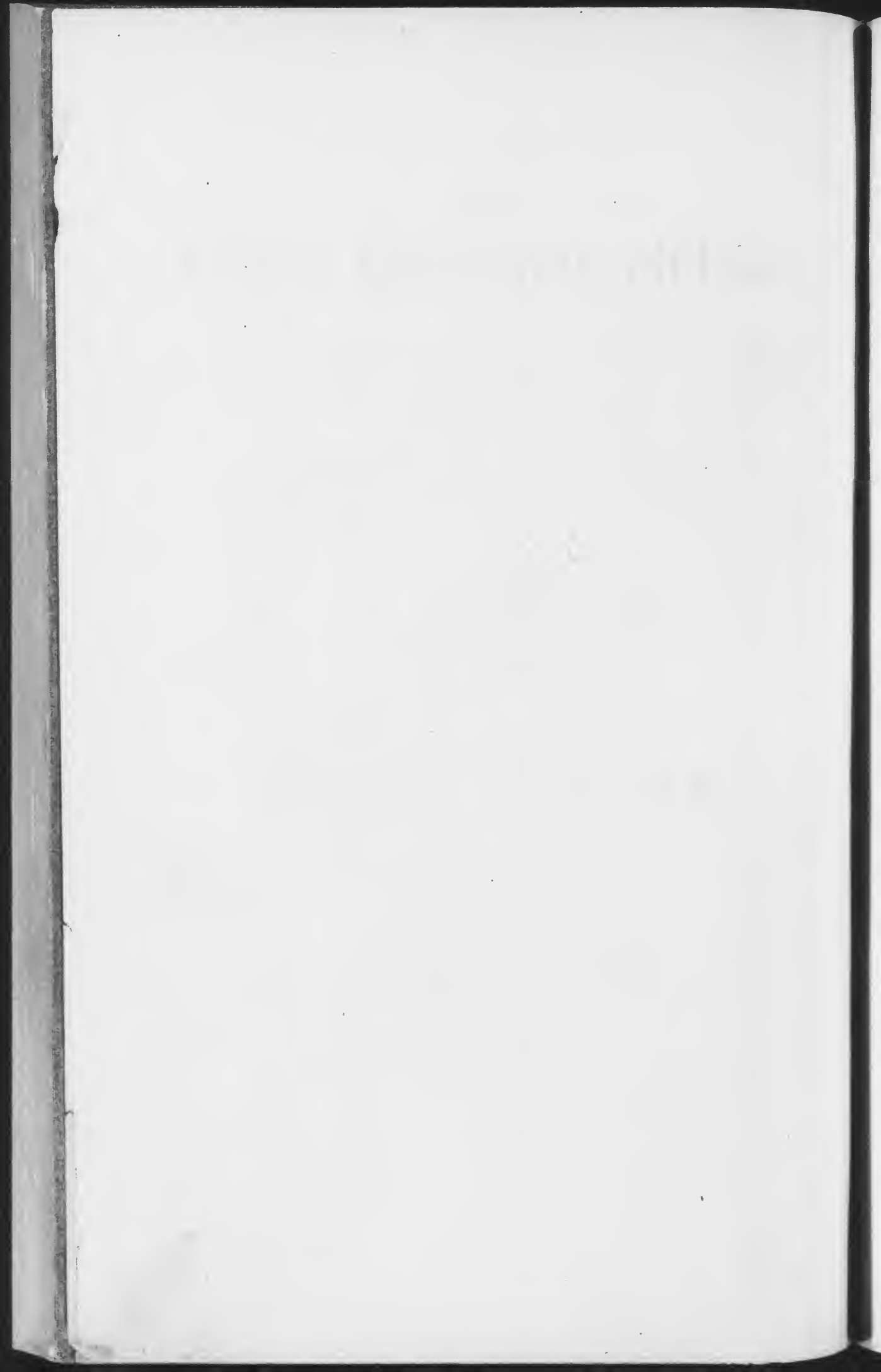


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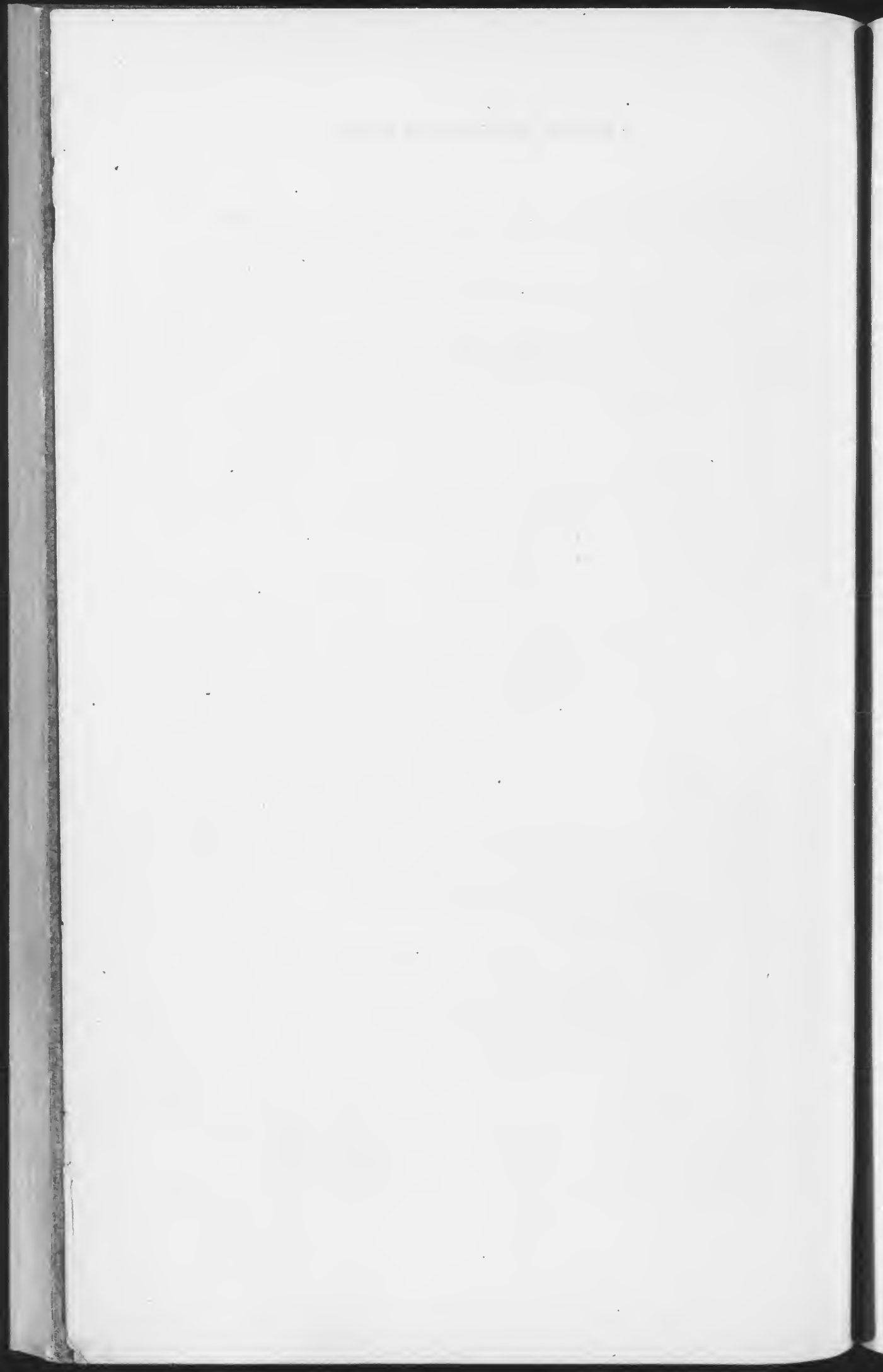
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121	Dadmun, Edward T.....	1892	E	191	Kesler, George T.....	1900	E
122	Gill, John R.....	1892	E, Sd	192	McCartney, John E.....	1900	E, Sy
123	Greene, George F.....	1892	E	193	Pleasants, Cameron E.....	1900	E
124	Hitt, Luther T.....	1892	E	194	Rood, George R.....	1900	E
125	Jolliff, James K.....	1892	E	195	Taylor, George W. M.....	1900	E
126	Latham, Joseph N.....	1892	E	196	Watkins, George W.....	1900	E
127	Thomas, Joseph A.....	1892	E	197	Weston, Harry L.....	1900	E
128	Williams, Charles H.....	1892	E	198	Winn, J. Arthur.....	1900	E
129	Baughan, Robert S.....	1893	E	199	Wright, S. Otto.....	1900	E
130	Beauchamp, William B..	1893	E	200	Bradford, John J.....	1901	E
131	Booker, George E.....	1893	E	201	Forrester, George T.....	1901	E
132	Hall, Ernest F.....	1893	E	202	Gregory, Henry C.....	1901	E
133	Hatcher, Samuel C.....	1893	E	203	Hearn, J. Elmer.....	1901	E
134	Peters, J. Sidney.....	1893	E	204	Heath, Thomas J. C.....	1901	E
135	Sharpe, Arthur B.....	1893	E	205	Paylor, Hugh J.....	1901	E
136	Waterfield, Robert T.....	1893	E	206	Powell, Eugene H.....	1901	E
137	Whitmore, Alfred A.....	1893	E	207	Senter, Samuel T.....	1901	E
138	Colonna, Major S.....	1894	E	208	Eure, John W.....	1902	E
139	Davis, Fred G.....	1894	E	209	Fielding, Charles H.....	1902	E
140	Haynes, William T A....	1894	E	210	Fruit, Robert L.....	1902	E
141	Johnson, Thomas E.....	1894	E	211	Hudson, Boyd E.....	1902	E
142	Jones, George Wesley.....	1894	E	212	Jeffreys, Walter A.....	1902	E
143	Pace, William C.....	1894	E	213	Kline, John M.....	1902	E
144	Parrish, John W.....	1894	E, Sd	214	Moser, John M.....	1902	E
145	Potts, Eugene J.....	1894	E, Sy	215	Odell, Edson K.....	1902	E
146	Williams, Lloyd T.....	1894	E	216	Pfeiffer, Henry C.....	1902	E
147	Wingfield, Robert L.....	1894	E	217	Rowland, Joseph M.....	1902	E
148	Blankenship, Charles E..	1895	E	218	Turner, Virginias R.....	1902	E
149	Clements, Patrick H.....	1895	E	219	Davis, Henry W.....	1903	E
150	Collyer, Charles T.....	1895	E	220	Holloway, John H.....	1903	E
151	Franklin, Alexander L....	1895	E	221	Reeves, Thomas R.....	1903	E
152	Haden, Thomas H.....	1895	E	222	Candler, Benjamin T.....	1904	E
153	Hosier, John D.....	1895	E	223	Dixon, John W.....	1904	E
154	Lambeth, Graham H.....	1895	E	224	Walker, John K.....	1904	E
155	Marsh, Victor L.....	1895	E	225	Wells, Frank L.....	1904	E
156	Scales, Walter Y.....	1895	E	226	Allen, Joseph T.....	1905	E
157	Shearer, Lewis C.....	1895	E, Sd	227	Shenton, Howard V.....	1905	E
158	Smoot, Thomas A.....	1895	E	228	Thrift, Charles T.....	1905	E
159	Ware, Wilkinson L.....	1895	E	229	Tuttle, Clayton O.....	1905	E
160	Battin, Samuel J.....	1896	E	230	Crutchfield, Lee G.....	1906	E
161	Hartness, Robert N.....	1896	E	231	Hank, P. Manning.....	1906	E
162	Lavinder, Jesse B.....	1896	E	232	Laughton, James R.....	1906	E
163	McSparran, Francis B....	1896	E, Sd	233	Moore, James T.....	1906	E
164	Oyler, James E.....	1896	E	234	Moore, Roy.....	1906	E
165	Peerman, Ernest L.....	1896	E	235	Shackford, John W.....	1906	E
166	White, John E.....	1896	E	236	Bouldin, James W.....	1907	E
167	Brooks, J Edward.....	1897	E	237	Daniel, James E.....	1907	E
168	Burruss, Frank.....	1897	E	238	Harris, William C.....	1907	E
169	Evans, Wallace R.....	1897	E	239	Johnson, Charles E.....	1907	E
170	Harry, John C.....	1897	E	240	King, Granville B.....	1907	E
171	Marks, R. Harrison.....	1897	E	241	Lambdin, Alvin K.....	1907	E
172	Sewell, John T.....	1897	E	242	Lewis, Andrew N.....	1907	E
173	Burch, William G.....	1898	E	243	Maxey, John S.....	1907	E
174	Busby, Robert L.....	1898	E	244	Read, Horace P.....	1907	D, Sy
175	Carey, J. Franklin.....	1898	E	245	Robertson, J. Callaway..	1907	E
176	Dunkley, Henry W.....	1898	E	246	Smart, W. Aiken.....	1907	E
177	Early, L. Hunter.....	1898	E	247	Smith, Lawrence A.....	1907	E
178	Jones, William L.....	1898	E	248	Watt, William J.....	1907	E

No.	NAMES	Entered Itinerancy	Grade and Relation	No.	NAMES	Entered Itinerancy	Grade and Relation
249	Campbell, Charles A.	1908	E	280	Bell, Cecil C.	1912	E
250	Clarke, Otis M.	1908	E	281	Linthicum, Allen W.	1912	E
251	Dumville, Samuel L.	1908	E	282	Orser, William A.	1912	E
252	Elliott, Eugene W.	1908	E	283	Stephens, Bart D.	1912	E
253	Green, Charles E.	1908	E	284	Brown, Walter S.	1913	D
254	Haga, Oscar L.	1908	E	285	Boyd, William J.	1913	D
255	Jett, Starke.	1908	E	286	Chenault, Fred R.	1913	E
256	Leggett, Milton M.	1908	E	287	Gresham, Joseph S.	1913	D
257	Lucas, Samuel E.	1908	E	288	Grubbs, William H.	1913	E
258	Marsh, James W.	1908	E	289	Newton, Orson B.	1913	E
259	Stables, Linton D.	1908	E	290	Todd, Henry T.	1913	E
260	Balderson, Herbert P.	1909	E	291	Williams, Aden P.	1913	E
261	Peters, John B.	1909	E	292	Callahan, Leslie F.	1914	D
262	Steininger, Charles V.	1909	E	293	Chapman, James A.	1914	D
263	Bates, Walter G., Jr.	1910	E	294	Clarke, Jacob J.	1914	D
264	England, Fleming W.	1910	E	295	Davis, Edgar W.	1914	D
265	Hopkins, Edward H.	1910	E	296	DeShazo, T. Maynard.	1914	D
266	Jackson, Duncan W.	1910	E	297	Deyerle, Walter S.	1914	D
267	Kidd, Charlton H.	1910	E	298	Finch, James L.	1914	D
268	Unruh, John G.	1910	E	299	Flournoy, Leon S.	1914	D
269	Wright, Wm. Archer.	1910	E	300	Hantzmon, William H.	1914	D
270	Burks, William L.	1911	E	301	Harrell, Charles T.	1914	D
271	Laughon, Theodore G.	1911	D	302	Loving, Eugene B.	1914	D
272	Mays, Wilton L.	1911	E	303	McNeil, Charles H.	1914	D
273	McAllister, William A.	1911	E	304	Mollart, Hugh D.	1914	D
274	McLean, Frank E. H.	1911	E	305	Neville, Henry W.	1914	D
275	Myers, Horwood P.	1911	E	306	Roten, A. Walter.	1914	D
276	Newbury, Guy H.	1911	E	307	Stevenson, Arthur L.	1914	D
277	Province, William P.	1911	D	308	Wilkinson, Sterling W.	1914	D
278	White, Roscoe M.	1911	E	309	Hendrickson, Leon W.	1915	D
279	Avery, James E., Jr.	1912	E	310	Salmon, Charles L.	1915	D

Preachers on Trial

No.	NAME	Received on Trial	Grade
1	Via, Bernard S.....	1913	Unordained.
2	Burnett, Richard R.....	1914	Unordained.
3	Fletcher, Wade H.....	1914	Unordained.
4	Gilliam, Otis L.....	1914	Unordained.
5	Higginbotham, Edward M.....	1914	Deacon.
6	Anker, Harry P.....	1915	Unordained.
7	Hill, Edgar G.....	1915	Deacon.
8	Johuston, Zebulon V.....	1915	Unordained.
9	Mayo, George H. I.....	1915	Unordained.
10	Black, Leonard R.....	1916	Unordained.
11	Cunningham, William K.....	1916	Deacon.
12	Edwards, James U.....	1916	Unordained.
13	Glauss, Harvey A.....	1916	Unordained.
14	Gordon, William O.....	1916	Unordained.
15	Malone, Dumas.....	1916	Deacon.
16	Smart, Laxton C.....	1916	Unordained.
17	Tucker, Chester A.....	1916	Deacon.
18	Bland, Benjamin B.....	1917	Unordained.
19	Cannon, James, III.....	1917	Elder.
20	Crawley, Elwood R.....	1917	Deacon.
21	Draper, Millard F.....	1917	Unordained.
22	Marshall, John.....	1917	Deacon.
23	Proctor, R. Bayard.....	1917	Unordained.
24	Stillwell, Charles L.....	1917	Unordained.

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Traveling Preachers.

NAME	POST OFFICE (Virginia, unless otherwise stated)	APPOINTMENT
1. Allen, J. T.....	South Boston.....	South Boston.
2. Anker, H. P.....	Lusambo, Africa.....	Missionary to Africa.
3. Askew, J. B.....	Morattico.....	West Lancaster Circuit.
4. Atwill, W. H.....	Smithfield.....	Smithfield.
5. Avery, J. E., Jr.....	Ashland.....	Goochland Circuit.
6. Babcock, J. O.....	South Norfolk.....	Liberty Street.
7. Balderson, H. P.....	Urbanna.....	Urbanna Circuit.
8. Banks, L. L.....	Scottsville.....	Scottsville Circuit.
9. Bargamin, V. W.....	Portsmouth.....	Wright Memorial.
10. Bates, W. G.....	Amelia.....	Superannuate.
11. Bates, W. G., Jr.....	Keysville.....	Prince Edward Circuit.
12. Battin, S. J.....	Berkley Ave., Norfolk.....	Memorial.
13. Baughan, R. S.....	Oceana.....	North Princess Anne Circuit
14. Beauchamp, W. B.....	Nashville, Tenn.....	Sec'y Laymen's Missionary Movement.
15. Beckham, B. M.....	Ferrum.....	Principal, Ferrum Training School.
16. Bell, C. C.....	Onancock.....	Onancock.
17. Bell, P. M.....	113 H. St., Modesto, Cal.....	Superannuate.
18. Bennett, R. H.....	Atlanta, Ga.....	Secretary, Ministerial Supply, etc.
19. Berryman, A. C.....	South Richmond.....	Superannuate.
20. Black, L. R.....	Montvale.....	Montvale Circuit
21. Bland, B. B.....	Nottoway.....	Nottoway Circuit.
22. Blankenship, C. E.....	Crewe.....	Crewe.
23. Bledsoe, J. W.....	Orange.....	Financial Agent, Orphanage.
24. Boggs, C. H.....	Richmond.....	Superannuate.
25. Boggs, W. G.....	Richmond.....	Laurel Street.
26. Booker, G. E.....	Lynchburg.....	Court Street.
27. Bosman, J. T.....	Farmville.....	Farmville.
28. Bouldin, J. W.....	Ferrum.....	Ferrum.
29. Bowles, H. C.....	Rocky Mount.....	Superannuate.
30. Boyd, W. J.....	Amburg.....	East Middlesex Circuit.
31. Bradford, J. J.....	Norfolk.....	Colonial Avenue.
32. Bray, J. L.....	Norfolk.....	Cumberland Street.
33. Brooks, J. E.....	Alberta.....	West Brunswick Circuit.
34. Brown, H. J.....	Stanardsville.....	Greene Circuit.
35. Brown, S. J.....	Danville.....	Danville District.
36. Brown, W. S.....	St. Martin's, Md.....	St. Martin's Circuit.
37. Bruce, J. L.....	Lynchburg.....	Army and Navy Work.
38. Burch, W. G.....	Port Haywood.....	East Mathews Circuit.
39. Burks, W. L.....	Courtland.....	Southampton Circuit.
40. Burnett, R. R.....	Atlanta, Ga.....	Student, Emory University.
41. Burruss, Frank.....	Gordonsville.....	Gordonsville Circuit.
42. Burton, J. M.....	Culpeper.....	Supernumerary.
43. Busby, R. L.....	Cheriton.....	Cheriton Circuit.
44. Butts, D. G. C.....	Hampton.....	Central.
45. Cain, C. W.....	Portsmouth.....	Superannuate.
46. Callahan, L. F.....	Appomattox.....	Appomattox.
47. Campbell, C. A.....	Wachapreague.....	Wachapreague and Smith's Chapel.
48. Candler, B. T.....	Richmond.....	Trinity.
49. Cannon, Jas., Jr.....	Blackstone.....	President, Blackstone College, etc.
50. Cannon, James, III.,..	Y. M. C. A., Rome, Italy....	Secretary Army Y. M. C. A.
51. Carey, J. F.....	Salisbury, Md.....	Eastern Shore District.
52. Carroll, J. W.....	Rocky Mount.....	Financial Agent Ferrum School.
53. Carson, A. L.....	South Richmond.....	West End.
54. Carson, E. V.....	Petersburg.....	Memorial.
55. Chandler, R. M.....	Franklin.....	Franklin—High Street.
56. Chapman, J. A.....	Portsmouth.....	Park View.
57. Chenault, F. R.....	Richmond.....	Broad Street.
58. Christian, W. A.....	Richmond.....	Commissioner, Emory University.
59. Clarke, J. J.....	Shuff.....	Patrick Circuit.
60. Clarke, O. M.....	Orange.....	Orange Circuit.
61. Clarke, R. T.....	Belroi.....	Gloucester Circuit.
62. Clements, P. H.....	Bedford City.....	Middle Bedford Circuit.

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63. Collyer, C. T.	Songdo, Korea.	Missionary to Korea.
64. Colonna, M. S.	Petersburg.	Petersburg District.
65. Comer, C. F.	Blackstone.	East Nottoway Circuit.
66. Conrad, W. A. S.	Driver.	Norfolk Circuit.
67. Crawley, E. R.	Agricola.	West Amherst Circuit
68. Crutchfield, L. G.	Norfolk.	LeKies Memorial.
69. Cunningham, W. K.	Richmond.	Fulton Hill.
70. Dadmun, E. T.	Larchmont, Norfolk.	Secretary Army Y. M. C. A.
71. Daniel, J. E.	Dillwyn.	Buckingham Circuit.
72. Davis, E. W.	Alta Vista	Alta Vista Circuit.
73. Davis, F. G.	Richmond.	Union Station.
74. Davis, H. W.	Salisbury, Md.	Salisbury.
75. Day, S. W.	Crozet.	Superannuate.
76. DeShazo, J. E.	White Plains.	South Brunswick Circuit.
77. DeShazo, T. M.	Moneta.	West Bedford Circuit.
78. Deyerle, W. S.	Atlee.	Hanover Circuit.
79. Dixon, J. W.	Richmond.	Supt. Methodist Institute.
80. Donahoe, S. A.	Portsmouth.	Central.
81. Draper, M. F.	Holdcroft.	Charles City Circuit
82. Driscoll, Asa.	Charlottesville.	Hinton Avenue.
83. Duke, T. P.	713 Montrose Ave., Richmond	Superannuate.
84. Dumville, S. L.	Richmond.	Decatur Street.
85. Dunkley, H. W.	Cambridge, Md.	Cambridge.
86. Early, L. H.	Louisa.	Louisa Circuit.
87. Edwards, J. U.	Adsit.	Brunswick Circuit.
88. Edwards, T. O.	Madison.	Madison and Mt. Mission.
89. Edwards, W. H.	Portsmouth.	Portsmouth & Newport News Dist.
90. Eggleston, J. R.	Rocky Mount.	Rocky Mount.
91. Elliott, E. W.	Virgilina.	Hycu Circuit.
92. England, F. W.	Emmertown.	Richmond Circuit.
93. Eure, J. W.	Madison Heights.	Madison Heights.
94. Evans, W. R.	Newsom's.	Newsom's Circuit.
95. Ferguson, Richard.	Emporia.	Greensville Circuit.
96. Fielding, C. H.	Lovington.	Nelson Circuit.
97. Finch, J. L.	Lynchburg.	Trinity.
98. Fletcher, W. H.	Onancock, R. F. D., 1.	Andrew Chapel.
99. Flournoy, L. S.	Richmond.	Ginter Park.
100. Forrester, G. T.	1324-24th St., Newport News	Junior, Trinity.
101. Foushee, N. B.	Lawrenceville.	Lawrenceville Circuit.
102. Franklin, A. L.	Norfolk.	Brambleton Avenue.
103. Fruit, R. L.	Buckingham.	West Buckingham Circuit.
104. Garner, E. F.	Norfolk, R. F. D., 6.	Denby and Fairmount.
105. Gayle, R. F.	Urbanna.	Rappahannock District.
106. Gee, J. W.	Franktown.	Franktown and Johnson's.
107. Gill, J. R.	Bloxom.	Superannuate.
108. Gilliam, O. L.	Carrollton.	Secretary Army Y. M. C. A.
109. Glauss, H. A.	McKenney.	South Dinwiddie Circuit.
110. Gordon, W. O.	South Richmond.	Asbury and Oakland.
111. Grant, W. E.	Plain View.	Shackelford's Circuit.
112. Green, C. E.	Reedville.	Bethany.
113. Green, C. H.	1624 Hanover Ave., Rich'd.	Superannuate.
114. Green, J. T.	Hampton.	First Church.
115. Green, W. T.	Lynchburg.	Lynchburg District.
116. Greene, G. F.	Suffolk.	Oxford.
117. Greene, J. M.	Amherst.	Amherst Circuit.
118. Gregory, H. C.	Kenbridge.	Kenbridge.
119. Gregory, W. H.	Roanoke.	Superannuate.
120. Gresham, J. S.	Lynchburg.	West End.
121. Grubbs, W. H.	Stevensburg.	Culpeper Circuit.
122. Haden, T. H.	Kobe, Japan.	Missionary to Japan.
123. Haga, O. L.	Danville.	Danville Circuit.
124. Hall, E. F.		Secretary Army Y. M. C. A.
125. Hank, P. M.	Capeville.	Capeville.
126. Hannon, John.	Lynchburg.	Superannuate.
127. Hantzmon, W. H.	Victoria.	Victoria Circuit.
128. Hardy, Porter.	Boykin's.	Boykin's Circuit.
129. Harrell, C. T.	Danville.	Sledd Memorial.
130. Harris, W. C.	Brookneal.	Brookneal Circuit.
131. Harry, J. C.	Accomac.	Accomac Circuit.
132. Hartness, R. N.	Richmond.	Denny Street.
133. Hatcher, S. C.	Ashland.	Vice-President, R.-M. College.
134. Hayes, W. F.	Portsmouth.	Elm Avenue.

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135. Haynes, W. T. A.....	Richmond.....	St. James.
136. Hearn, J. E.....	Moorman's River.....	Albemarle Circuit.
137. Heath, T. J. C.....	Petersburg.....	Wesley.
138. Heckman, J. W.....	Quinton.....	New Kent Circuit.
139. Hendrickson, L. W.....	Crozet.....	Crozet.
140. Herrink, B. S.....	Westhampton, Richmond....	Superannuate.
141. Higginbotham, E. M.....	Gum Spring.....	West Goochland Circuit.
142. Hill, E. G.....	Lancaster.....	Lancaster Circuit.
143. Hitt, L. T.....	Richmond.....	Fairmount Avenue & Chelsea Hill.
144. Holloway, J. H.....	Princess Anne, R. F. D., 1...	South Princess Anne Circuit.
145. Hopkins, E. H.....	Kinsale.....	Westmoreland Circuit.
146. Hosier, J. D.....	Pungoteague.....	Pungoteague Circuit.
147. Hudson, B. E.....	Mathews.....	Mathews Circuit.
148. Hunter, J. S.....	Richmond.....	Field Agent, Publishing House.
149. Jackson, D. W.....	Sanford.....	Pocomoke Circuit.
150. James, C. R.....	Concord.....	Concord Circuit.
151. Jeffreys, W. A.....	Whitestone.....	Whitestone Circuit.
152. Jett, Starke.....	Portsmouth.....	Junior, Monumental.
153. Jett, W. B.....	Danville.....	Cabell Street Memorial.
154. Johnson, C. E.....	Richmond.....	Epworth.
155. Johnson, H. E.....	Boydton.....	Boydton.
156. Johnson, S. H.....	Ruther Glen.....	Caroline Circuit.
157. Johnson, T. E.....	Richmond.....	Saint Paul's.
158. Johnston, Z. V.....	Gretna.....	Elba Circuit.
159. Jolliff, J. K.....	Charlottesville.....	First Church
160. Jones, C. C.....	Martinsville.....	Henry Circuit.
161. Jones, G. W.....	Lynchburg.....	Memorial.
162. Jones, W. L.....	Rustburg.....	Campbell Circuit.
163. Jordan, A. C.....	Boykin's.....	Superannuate.
164. Jordan, W. P.....	Norfolk.....	Superannuate.
165. Judkins, W. E.....	Norfolk.....	Superannuate.
166. Kelly, G. C.....	Ashland.....	Ashland.
167. Kesler, G. T.....	Whitmill.....	Pittsylvania Circuit.
168. Kidd, C. H.....	Painter.....	Keller Circuit.
169. King, G. B.....	London Bridge, R. F. D., 1	Princess Anne Circuit.
170. Kline, J. M.....	Larchmont, Norfolk.....	Larchmont.
171. Lambdin, A. K.....	Pamplin.....	Pamplin Circuit.
172. Lambeth, G. H.....	Richmond.....	Monument.
173. Lambeth, S. S.....	Bedford City.....	Superannuate.
174. Latham, J. N.....	Danville.....	Main Street.
175. Laughon, T. G.....	Heathsville.....	Heathsville Circuit.
176. Laughon, W. A.....	Barton Heights, Richmond..	Superannuate.
177. Loughton, J. R.....	Williamsburg.....	Williamsburg.
178. Lavinder, J. B.....	Palmyra.....	Fluvanna Circuit.
179. Lear, W. W.....	Culpeper.....	Culpeper.
180. Leftwich, C. W.....	Cumberland.....	Cumberland Circuit.
181. Leggett, M. M.....	Alton.....	South Halifax Circuit.
182. Lewis, A. N.....	Windsor.....	Windsor Circuit.
183. Light, J. H.....	Emporia.....	Emporia.
184. Lillaston, J. W.....	Forest Depot.....	Bedford Springs Circuit.
185. Linthicum, A. W.....	Cascade.....	Cascade Circuit.
186. Lipscomb, B. F.....	Charlottesville.....	Charlottesville District.
187. Loving, E. B.....	Stony Creek.....	Sussex Circuit.
188. Lucas, S. E.....	Callao.....	Henderson Station.
189. Lumpkin, R. P.....	Lynchburg.....	Centenary.
190. Malone, Dumas.....	Lynchburg.....	Professor R.-M. Woman's College.
191. Marks, R. H.....	Petersburg, R. F. D. 1.....	East Dinwiddie Circuit.
192. Marsh, J. W.....	Capron.....	Capron Circuit.
193. Marsh, V. L.....	Meadville.....	Halifax Circuit.
194. Marshall, John.....	Schoolfield.....	Schoolfield.
195. Mastin, J. T.....	Richmond.....	Secretary State Board Charities, etc.
196. Maxey, J. S.....	Cartersville.....	Cartersville Circuit.
197. Maxey, R. M.....	South Richmond.....	Central.
198. Mayo, G. H. I.....	Beaver Dam.....	West Hanover Circuit.
199. Mays, W. L.....	Hurt.....	North Pittsylvania Circuit.
200. McAlister, J. D.....	Nashville, Tenn.....	Supt. Anti Saloon League, Tenn.
201. McAllister, W. A.....	Big Island.....	North Bedford Circuit.
202. McCartney, J. E.....	Altadena, Cal.....	Supernumerary.
203. McFaden, G. H.....	Richmond.....	Sup't Masonic Home of Va.
204. McLean, F. E. H.....	Irrington.....	Irrington and Kilmarnock.
205. McNeil, C. H.....	Bena.....	Gloucester Point Circuit.
206. McSparran, F. B.....	Barton Ave., Richmond.....	Barton Heights.

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207. McSparran, J. E.....	Barton Ave., Richmond.....	Superannuate.
208. Merritt, D. T.....	Larchmont, Norfolk.....	Junior, Cumberland Street.
209. Mollart, H. D.....	Highland Springs.....	Highland Springs.
210. Moore, J. T.....	Temperanceville.....	Atlantic Circuit.
211. Moore, J. W.....	Portsmouth.....	Monumental.
212. Moore, L. C.....	Exmore.....	Broadwater and Bethel.
213. Moore, Roy.....	Union Hall.....	East Franklin Circuit.
214. Moser, J. M.....	Prospect.....	Prospect Circuit.
215. Moss, J. H.....	Lambert's Point, Norfolk...	Zion.
216. Moss, Jas. O.....	Lambert's Point, Norfolk...	Superannuate.
217. Moss, John O.....	Waverly.....	Waverly Circuit.
218. Murphy, W. L.....	Newport News.....	Chestnut Avenue.
219. Myers, H. P.....	318 Harrison St., Petersburg.	Junior, Washington St.
220. Neville, H. W.....	Toano.....	Toano Circuit.
221. Newbury, G. H.....	Richmond.....	Clay Street.
222. Newton, J. C. C.....	Larchmont, Norfolk.....	Missionary to Japan.
223. Newton, O. B.....	Chatham.....	Chatham Circuit.
224. Odell, E. K.....	Portsmouth.....	Cottage Place.
225. Ogden, T. W.....	Hickory.....	South Norfolk Circuit.
226. Orser, W. A.....	Flint Hill.....	Rappahannock Circuit.
227. Oyler, J. E.....	Richmond.....	Superannuate.
228. Pace, W. C.....	Ettrick.....	Ettrick.
229. Page, N. A.....	Churchland.....	Churchland and West Norfolk.
230. Parham, E. P.....	Petersburg.....	Superannuate.
231. Parrish, J. W.....	Buena Vista.....	Superannuate.
232. Paylor, H. J.....	Chase City.....	Chase City.
233. Payne, J. T.....	Marengo.....	Mecklenburg Circuit.
234. Payne, R. O.....	Kenbridge, R. F. D. 1.....	Lunenburg Circuit.
235. Peerman, E. L.....	Hampton.....	Hampton Roads Circuit.
236. Pell, E. L.....	Richmond.....	Supernumerary.
237. Peters, J. B.....	War Dep't, Washington.....	Chaplain U. S. Army.
238. Peters, J. S.....	Richmond.....	Commissioner of Prohibition.
239. Pfeiffer, H. C.....	Farmville.....	Farmville District.
240. Phaup, L. J.....	Disputanta.....	Prince George Circuit.
241. Pleasants, C. E.....	240 Arcade, Norfolk.....	Children's Home Society.
242. Potts, E. A.....	Cape Charles.....	Cape Charles.
243. Potts, E. J.....	Amelia.....	Supernumerary.
244. Potts, R. H.....	Richmond.....	Richmond District.
245. Potts, T. N.....	Salisbury, Md.....	Conference Secretary of Missions.
246. Powell, E. H.....	Benn's Church.....	Benn's Circuit.
247. Pribble, J. L.....	Skipwith.....	Trinity Circuit.
248. Proctor, R. B.....	South Richmond.....	Woodland Heights.
249. Proctor, W. R.....	Martinsville.....	Martinsville.
250. Province, W. P.....	Monroe.....	Monroe Circuit.
251. Pruden, N. J.....	Hopewell.....	Superannuate.
252. Pullen T. G.....	Ivy Depot, R. F. D. 2.....	Batesville Circuit.
253. Rawlings, E. H.....	Nashville, Tenn.....	Foreign Secretary of Missions.
254. Read, H. P.....	Norlina, N. C., R. F. D.....	Supernumerary.
255. Reed, J. C.....	Bedford City.....	Bedford City.
256. Reeves, T. R.....	Norfolk.....	McKendree.
257. Rice, A. S. J.....	Appomattox.....	Appomattox Circuit.
258. Riddick, W. H.....	Capron.....	Superannuate.
259. Robertson, J. C.....	Lynchburg.....	Rivermont Avenue.
260. *Robins, J. W. S.....	.....	.....
261. Rood, G. R.....	Elko.....	Henrico Circuit.
262. Roten, A. W.....	Gladys.....	Gladys Circuit.
263. Routten, J. T.....	Norfolk.....	Chaplain to Seamen.
264. Rowe, E. H.....	Buena Vista.....	Principal, Southern Seminary.
265. Rowland, J. M.....	122 W. 31st St., Norfolk.....	Park Place.
266. Royall, W. W.....	Jeff's.....	East York Circuit.
267. Rucker, McDaniel.....	Richmond, R. F. D. 6.....	Superannuate.
268. Salmon, C. L.....	Amherst.....	South Amherst Circuit.
269. Sawyer, W. W.....	Dinwiddie.....	Dinwiddie Circuit.
270. Scales, W. Y.....	Union Level.....	North Mecklenburg Circuit.
271. Scott, R. B.....	City Point.....	City Point.
272. Senter, S. T.....	Norfolk.....	Epworth.
273. Sewell, J. T.....	Cambridge, Md.....	Cambridge Circuit.
274. Shackford, J. W.....	Nashville, Tenn.....	Superintendent Teacher Training.
275. Sharpe, A. B.....	Richmond.....	Superintendent Orphanage.
276. Shearer, L. C.....	Lynchburg.....	Superannuate.
277. Shenton, H. V.....	Rochelle.....	Rapidan Circuit.
278. Simpson, T. McN.....	Larchmont, Norfolk.....	Norfolk District.

* Died since Conference.

NAME	POST OFFICE (Virginia, unless otherwise stated)	APPOINTMENT
279. Smart, L. C.....	Bowling Green.....	Bowling Green Circuit.
280. Smart, W. A.....	Emory University, Ga.....	Professor, Emory University.
281. Smith, H. H.....	Ford.....	West Dinwiddie Circuit.
282. Smith, L. A.....	Ocean View.....	Ocean View.
283. Smoot, T. A.....	Richmond.....	Centenary.
284. Spooner, G. H.....	Danville.....	Mount Vernon.
285. Stables, L. D.....	Hick's Wharf.....	West Mathews Circuit.
286. Steininger, C. V.....	Sandiges, R. F. D.....	Mt. Pleasant Circuit.
287. Stephens, B. D.....	Colonial Beach.....	Colonial Beach and Grace.
288. Stevens, Ernest.....	Clarksville.....	Clarksville.
289. Stevenson, A. L.....	Allen, Md.....	Allen Circuit.
290. Stiff, J. W.....	South Hill.....	South Hill Circuit.
291. Stillwell, C. L.....	Madison, Md.....	Dorchester Circuit.
292. Sturgis, J. R.....	Blackstone.....	Superannuate.
293. Taylor, G. W. M.....	Camp McClellan, Ala.....	Chaplain U. S. Army.
294. Thomas, J. A.....	Newport News.....	Trinity.
295. Thompson, W. E.....	Richmond.....	Park Place and Orphanage.
296. Thrift, C. T.....	Danville.....	Calvary.
297. Todd, H. T.....	Smithfield.....	Isle of Wight Circuit.
298. Tompkins, W. A.....	Crozet.....	Superannuate.
299. Traynham, D. J.....	South Boston.....	Superannuate.
300. Tucker, C. A.....	Hopewell.....	Hopewell.
301. Turner, C. W.....	Wakefield.....	Superannuate.
302. Turner, V. R.....	Wonsan, Korea.....	Missionary to Korea.
303. Tuttle, C. O.....	Blackstone.....	Blackstone.
304. Twilley, W. J.....	Allen, Md.....	Superannuate.
305. Unruh, J. G.....	Richmond.....	Grace.
306. Via, B. S.....	Atlanta, Ga.....	Student, Emory University.
307. Walker, J. K.....	Newport News.....	Grace.
308. Wallace, J. S.....	Norfolk, R. F. D., 4.....	Oaklette and Campostella.
309. Ware, W. L.....	Wakefield.....	Wakefield Circuit.
310. Waterfield, R. T.....	Petersburg.....	High Street.
311. Watkins, G. W.....	Bloxom.....	Guilford, Bloxom and St. Thomas.
312. Watt, W. J.....	Petersburg.....	Blandford.
313. Watts, C. E.....	Charlottesville.....	Superannuate.
314. Wells, F. L.....	Norfolk.....	Ghent.
315. Wertenbaker, C. C.....	Suffolk.....	Superannuate.
316. Weston, H. L.....	Amelia.....	Amelia Circuit.
317. White, J. E.....	Dendron.....	Surry Circuit.
318. White, R. M.....	Highland Park, Richmond.....	Highland Park.
319. Whitley, J. T.....	Bedford Apartments, Norfolk.....	Superannuate.
320. Whitmore, A. A.....	Whaleyville.....	Whaleyville and Somerton.
321. Wilkinson, S. W.....	Drake's Branch.....	Charlotte Circuit.
322. Williams, A. P.....	Stuart.....	Stuart and Wayside.
323. Williams, C. H.....	Onley.....	Onley, Locustville and Melia.
324. Williams, L. T.....	Petersburg.....	Market Street.
325. Williams, W. J.....	Hampton, R. F. D. 3.....	Fox Hill.
326. Williams, W. T.....	Chester.....	Chester and Ivey Memorial.
327. Wingfield, R. L.....	Bedford City.....	Bedford Circuit.
328. Winn, J. A.....	Suffolk.....	Main Street.
329. Winn, J. B.....	Petersburg.....	Washington Street.
330. Woodward, J. P.....	Norfolk.....	Superannuate.
331. Wray, G. W.....	Portsmouth.....	Broad Street.
332. Wright, S. O.....	20 E. Lafayette Ave., Balto, Md.....	Secretary Army Y. M. C. A.
333. Wright, W. A.....	Bell Haven.....	Craddockville and Bell Haven.
334. Young, W. J.....	115 E. 3d. St., Atlanta, Ga.....	Professor, Emory University.

Supplies.

NAME	POST OFFICE (Virginia, unless otherwise stated)	APPOINTMENT
1. Arthur, J. W.	Walkerton.	King and Queen Circuit.
2. Arthur, P. F.	Lynchburg.	Lynchburg Circuit.
3. Beasley, J. C.	Miller's Tavern.	Essex Circuit...
4. Bishop, G. M.	Beach.	Chesterfield Circuit.
5. Blackwell, O. M.	Crittenden.	Crittenden.
6. Bradshaw, J. R.	Figsboro.	South Franklin Circuit.
7. Burford, J. D.	Ashland.	South Chesterfield Circuit.
8. Caton, E. T.	Goode.	Central Bedford Circuit.
9. Clagett, R. B.	Bon Air.	West Chesterfield Circuit.
10. Coates, G. C.	Schuyler.	South Nelson Circuit.
11. Craddock, W. J.	Elamsville.	North Patrick Circuit.
12. Euston, W. H.	Ashland.	Matoaca.
13. Gregory, J. J.	King George.	King George Circuit.
14. Hastings, H. L.	Fishing Creek, Md.	South Dorchester Circuit.
15. Holland, F. R.	Enfield.	King William Circuit.
16. Jarrett, T. Roy.	Callaway.	West Franklin Circuit.
17. Kilgore, E. G.	Boone's Mill.	Franklin Circuit.
18. King, W. L.	Lynnhaven.	Lynnhaven Circuit.
19. Martin, O. L.	Saxe.	South Charlotte Circuit.
20. Murdock, P. J.	Richmond.	Branch Memorial.
21. Owen, R. V.	Saluda.	Middlesex Circuit.
22. Pettus, J. B.	Charlottesville.	East Albemarle Circuit.
23. Pulliam, S. H.	Spottsylvania.	Spottsylvania Circuit.
24. Reynolds, J. W.	Hickory.	Mt. Vernon Circuit.
25. Rice, N. C.	Ashland.	Ashland Circuit.
26. Sawyer, J. A.	Gilmerton.	Gilmerton Circuit.
27. Smith, C. H.	South Richmond.	Junior, Asbury and Oakland.
28. Somerville, E. W.	Brightwood.	Brightwood Circuit.
29. Stimpson, T. H.	Powhatan.	Powhatan Circuit.
30. Warwick, A. B.	Grafton.	York Circuit.
31. Wimbish, J. W.	Clover.	East Halifax Circuit.
32. Yow, R. J.	Danville.	Grace.

Local Preachers.

In the "Grade" column, "E" denotes an Elder. "D" a Deacon, "L" a Licentiate (unordained).

DISTRICT	NAME	GRADE	POST OFFICE (In Virginia, unless otherwise stated.)
Charlottesville.	Allman, G. W.	E	Gordonsville.
"	Cave, T. W.	L	Stanley.
"	Clinton, R. L.	D	Goochland.
"	Coates, G. C.	L	Schuyler.
"	Hitt, A. H.	L	Amissville.
"	Keyser, W. H.	E	Mineral.
"	Moore, A. H.	D	Amherst.
"	Pettus, J. B.	L	Charlottesville.
"	Rogers, J. M.	E	Charlottesville.
"	Somerville, E. W.	D	Brightwood.
Danville.	Bradshaw, J. R.	L	Figsboro.
"	Correll, F. M.	E	Chatham.
"	Craddock, W. J.	D	Elamsville.
"	Earp, C. H.	L	Ashland.
"	Guerrant, H. D.	E	Danville.
"	Guinn, O. A.	L	Danville.
"	Jarrett, T. Roy.	L	Callaway.
"	Kettle, Edwin.	L	Danville.
"	Kilgore, E. G.	L	Boone's Mill
"	Oakey, J. M., Jr.	L	Danville.
"	Via, R. M.	L	Woolwine.
"	Wimbish, J. W.	E	Clover.
"	Yow, R. J.	L	Danville.
Eastern Shore.	Bray, R. W.	L	Cape Charles.
"	Brewington, A. L.	D	Salisbury, Md.
"	Carey, Elijah B.	L	Berlin, Md.
"	Hastings, H. L.	L	Fishing Creek, Md.
"	Jackson, R. B.	L	Sanford.
"	Marshall, W. E.	L	Salisbury, Md., R. F. D.
"	Nicholson, E. J.	E	Berlin, Md.
"	Truitt, R. W.	L	New Haven, Conn.
Farmville.	Copley, John A.	L	Olo.

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Farmville.....	Finch, J. P.....	D	Keysville.
".....	Garland, T. L.....	L	Red Oak.
".....	Hicks, L. L.....	L	Chase City.
".....	Irby, William.....	D	Blackstone.
".....	Kibler, J. L.....	L	Chase City, R. F. D.
".....	Martin, O. L.....	E	Saxe.
".....	Stimpson, T. H.....	E	Powhatan.
Lynchburg.....	Arthur, P. F.....	L	Lynchburg.
".....	Caton, E. T.....	L	Goode.
".....	Crooks, E. B.....	D	Lynchburg.
".....	Dickerson, C. J.....	L	Evergreen.
".....	Fizer, J. W.....	D	Emory University, Ga.
".....	Harlow, R. V.....	L	Huddleston.
".....	Jones, W. J.....	L	Lynchburg.
".....	Lee, R. A.....	E	Sycamore.
".....	Moorman, J. B.....	L	Ashland.
".....	Pellikon, Frank.....	E	Leesville.
".....	Rorer, J. A.....	L	Ashland.
".....	Rosser, J. C.....	L	Bedford, R. F. D.
".....	Shepherd, C. M.....	L	Lynchburg.
".....	Stone, A. G.....	L	Ashland.
".....	Weatherford, W. T.....	D	Houston.
Norfolk.....	Bunting, H. C.....	D	Expo.
".....	Copes, A. Vicar.....	L	Norfolk.
".....	Haineworth, A. A.....	L	St. David's, Egypt.
".....	King, W. L.....	D	Lynnhaven.
".....	Moger, R. D.....	L	Hampton.
".....	Reynolds, J. W.....	L	Hickory.
".....	Straughan, Charles.....	D	South Norfolk.
".....	Warwick, A. B.....	E	Grafton.
".....	White, J. F.....	D	Grafton.
Petersburg.....	Bishop, G. M.....	L	Beach.
".....	Bobbitt, J. R.....	L	Stony Creek.
".....	Burford, J. D.....	L	Ashland.
".....	Clagett, R. B.....	L	Bon Air.
".....	Clarke, H. V.....	E	Draper, N. C.
".....	Euston, W. H.....	L	Ashland.
".....	Gum, W. C.....	L	Ashland.
".....	Hatcher, Richelieu.....	L	Chester.
".....	Hobbs, J. H.....	L	Ashland.
".....	Lowe, T. N.....	L	Petersburg.
".....	Marks, G. E.....	L	Ettrick.
".....	Maxey, W. A.....	L	White Plains.
".....	Montgomery, J. S.....	L	La Crosse.
".....	Smith, H. N.....	L	Ashland.
".....	Tucker, W. Lee.....	L	Kobe, Japan.
".....	Walsh, A. W.....	L	Petersburg.
Portsmouth and Newport News....	Batten, J. M.....	D	Princeton, N. J.
".....	Blackwell, O. M.....	L	Crittenden.
".....	Collins, G. W.....	L	Suffolk.
".....	Matthews, L. D.....	L	Carrollton.
".....	Morse, W. W.....	L	Ashland.
".....	Rose, J. J.....	L	Rosemary, N. C.
Rappahannock.....	Arthur, J. W.....	L	Walkerton.
".....	Austin, J. D.....	L	Oak.
".....	Beasley, J. C.....	L	Miller's Tavern.
".....	Degges, C. L.....	L	Lancaster.
".....	Degges, Ray.....	L	Mollusk.
".....	Gregory, J. J.....	D	King George.
".....	Jones, W. H.....	L	Mundy Point.
".....	Owen, R. V.....	L	Saluda.
".....	Rice, A. F.....	D	Reedville.
".....	Richardson, C. B.....	L	Toano.
".....	Saunders, Rowzie.....	L	Butylo.
Richmond.....	Adams, B. M.....	L	Richmond.
".....	Brewer, A. E.....	L	Richmond.
".....	Burruss, Granville.....	D	Bowling Green.
".....	Copley, E. L.....	L	New Haven, Conn.
".....	Creekmore, R. W.....	L	Richmond.
".....	Day, F. L.....	E	Ashland.
".....	Douglas, J. B.....	D	U. S. Army, France.
".....	Everhardt, J. D.....	L	Richmond.
".....	Gulley, R. C.....	L	Richmond.
".....	Guy, L. A.....	E	Richmond.

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Richmond	Harris, O. M.	L	Richmond.
"	Holland, F. R.	L	Enfield.
"	Jones, T. M.	E	Ashland.
"	Lee, M. W.	L	Camp Lee.
"	Mooney, J. M.	D	Richmond.
"	Moss, C. W.	L	
"	Murdock, P. J.	L	Richmond.
"	Pettygrew, T. P.	E	South Richmond.
"	Pulliam, S. H.	L	Spottsylvania.
"	Ray, C. W.	E	Rocky Mount, N. C.
"	Rice, N. C.	L	Ashland.
"	Smith, C. H.	E	South Richmond.
"	Thomas, T. E.	L	Fredericksburg, R. F. D.
"	Thomas, W. E.	L	Ashland.
"	Williams, G. L.	L	Fredericksburg.
"	Wingfield, W. L.	L	Richmond.

Lay Delegates

NAME	DISTRICT	POST OFFICE (In Virginia, unless otherwise stated.)
Adams, Geo. P.	Farmville	Blackstone.
Ames, S. W.	Eastern Shore	Pungoteague.
Barrow, H. E.	Farmville	Farmville.
Bland, Richmond	Rappahannock	West Point.
Barksdale, W. R.	Charlottesville	Charlottesville.
Britt, Lee. (alt.)	Portsmouth & Newport News..	Suffolk.
Campbell, M. A. (alt.)	Richmond	So. Richmond.
Catlin, Jas. T.	Danville	Danville.
Cato, W. R.	Petersburg	No. Emporia.
Chappell, J. H.	Richmond	Richmond.
Clement, G. H.	Lynchburg	Appomattox.
Cox, R. M. (alt.)	Charlottesville	Amherst.
Crowder, C. P.	Petersburg	Jarratt.
Davis, J. Lee. (alt.)	Richmond	Richmond.
Gregory, C. A.	Danville	Clover.
*Gillette, W. P.	Portsmouth & Newport News..	Capron.
Hardwicke, C. W.	Richmond	Richmond.
Head, L. J.	Richmond	Penola, R. F. D.
*Hitt, Walter	Norfolk	Norfolk.
Hudgins, C. W.	Portsmouth & Newport News..	Portsmouth.
Hunt, G. J.	Richmond	Richmond.
Keller, Dan. A.	Farmville	Cumberland, R. F. D.
Mann, E. L.	Petersburg	Matoaca.
*Marsh, J. E.	Rappahannock	Reedville.
McAllen, G. I.	Eastern Shore	Seaview.
McLemore, J. L.	Portsmouth & Newport News..	Suffolk.
Moseley, E. G.	Danville	Danville.
Parker, J. C.	Portsmouth & Newport News..	Franklin.
*Pattie, D. M.	Charlottesville	Madison.
Pettyjohn, Jno. P.	Lynchburg	Lynchburg.
Reed, G. N. (alt.)	Rappahannock	Reedville.
*Reekes, C. T.	Farmville	Boydton.
Rowe, J. W.	Norfolk	Hampton.
Russell, W. J.	Eastern Shore	Accomac.
Sprinkel, J. W.	Charlottesville	Brightwood.
Scott, S. D.	Norfolk	Norfolk.
Short, S. H.	Petersburg	Lawrenceville.
*Stoakes, W. R.	Rappahannock	Moon.
Talbott, Frank	Danville	Danville.
Vicar, W. W. (alt.)	Norfolk	Norfolk.
Vincent, W. H. (alt.)	Portsmouth & Newport News..	Capron.
Watson, Owen	Lynchburg	Matilda.
West, T. S.	Lynchburg	Bellevue.
Whitehead, Thos.	Charlottesville	Amherst.
Williamson, C. M.	Norfolk	Norfolk, R. F. D.
Wise, W. P.	Eastern Shore	Capeville.
Womack, C. T. (alt.)	Danville	Martinsville.

* Did not attend the session.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS

Charlottesville District

CHARGE	SCHOOL	SUPERINTENDENT	POST OFFICE (Virginia, unless otherwise stated.)
Albemarle.....	Bluff Dale.....	Albert Via.....	Doyleville.
".....	Brown's Cove.....	L. E. Fielding.....	Mount Fair.
".....	Ivy Creek.....	George Marshall.....	Charlottesville, R. F. D. 4.
".....	Mt. Moriah.....	J. H. Jones.....	Mechum's River.
".....	Shiloh.....	W. H. Thayer.....	Ivy Depot.
".....	Wesley.....	Harry C. Miller.....	Free Union.
Amherst.....	Belle Point.....	John E. Thomas.....	New Glasgow.
".....	Berkley.....	M. R. Crawford.....	Monroe, R. F. D. 1.
".....	Emmanuel.....	R. M. Cox.....	Amherst.
".....	Pleasant Grove.....	Hope Hudson.....	Clifford.
".....	Sardis.....	W. N. Shrader.....	Amherst, R. F. D. 2.
Batesville.....	Batesville.....	G. A. Shepherd.....	Afton, R. F. D.
".....	Bethel.....	Miss Helen Toms.....	Covesville.
".....	Locust Grove.....	H. L. Kent.....	Greenfield.
".....	Rock Spring.....	L. A. West.....	Faber.
".....	Rodes.....	R. E. Turner.....	Afton, R. F. D.
".....	Trinity.....	R. C. Mann.....	Red Hill.
".....	Wheeling.....	J. T. Wolff.....	Batesville.
Brightwood.....	Bethlehem.....	Mrs. Erna Nethers.....	Nethers.
".....	Bethsaida.....	J. M. Yager.....	Brightwood.
".....	Ebenezer.....	J. M. Spicer.....	Reva.
".....	Etlan.....	John Tanner.....	Duet.
".....	Woodland.....	W. W. Rumsey.....	Culpeper, R. F. D. 1.
Charlottesville:			
First Church.....	First Church.....	S. F. Ham.....	Charlottesville.
Hinton Avenue.....	Hinton Avenue.....	G. A. Fitch.....	Charlottesville.
Crozet.....	Crozet.....	L. M. Mey.....	Crozet.
Culpeper.....	Culpeper.....	Geo. M. Jamison.....	Culpeper.
Culpeper Ct.....	Cedar Grove.....	A. J. Roberts.....	Culpeper, R. F. D.
".....	Fleetwood.....	J. L. Coleman.....	Brandy.
".....	Hopewell.....	E. D. Brown.....	Lignum.
".....	Providence.....	J. W. Spicer.....	Elkwood, R. F. D.
".....	Richardsville.....	J. T. Mastin, Jr.....	Richardsville.
".....	Stevensburg.....	W. C. Legg.....	Stevensburg.
East Albemarle.....	Buckeyeland.....	A. B. Wickline.....	Charlottesville, R. F. D. 3
".....	Milton.....	D. L. Smith.....	Charlottesville, R. F. D. 3.
".....	New Bethel.....	J. A. Payne.....	Woodridge.
".....	Union.....	W. T. Payne.....	Union Mills.
Fluvanna.....	Bird's Chapel.....	M. Wilbur Kent.....	Kent's Store.
".....	Cunningham.....	E. P. Brown.....	Palmyra.
".....	Palmyra.....	W. H. Haden.....	Palmyra.
".....	Salem.....	J. S. Farrar.....	Wildwood.
".....	Seay's Chapel.....	A. L. Seay.....	Shores.
".....	Wesley.....	Julian Snyder.....	Shores.
".....	Zion.....	John L. Lanford.....	Campbell's.
Gordonsville.....	Barboursville.....	Gilbert Mundy.....	Barboursville.
".....	Forest Hill.....	W. R. Dunkum.....	Green Springs.
".....	Gordonsville.....	E. E. Harper.....	Gordonsville.
".....	Mt. Chapel.....	Howard Haney.....	Charlottesville, R. F. D. 2.
".....	Mt. Horeb.....	W. J. Robertson.....	Trevilian.
Greene.....	Bingham's.....	E. M. Walker.....	Wilhoit.
".....	Gentry.....	B. I. Davis.....	Boonsville.
".....	Mt. Paran.....	Miss Isa Davis.....	Celt.
".....	Mt. Vernon.....	Judson Runkle.....	Geer.
".....	South River.....	Harvey Shelton.....	Stanardsville.
".....	Stanardsville.....	Dr. E. D. Davis.....	Stanardsville.
".....	Temple Hill.....	Edward Haney.....	Lydia.
Louisa.....	Ebenezer.....	R. J. Riddell.....	Louisa, R. F. D. 2.
".....	Ellisville.....	H. C. Thomas.....	Trevilian, R. F. D. 1.
".....	Lasley.....	W. P. Roberts.....	Louisa, R. F. D. 5.
".....	Louisa.....	W. M. Perkins.....	Louisa.
".....	Macedonia.....	C. E. Roberts.....	Bell's Cross Roads.
".....	Mineral.....	W. P. Chaplin.....	Mineral.
".....	Mt. Pleasant.....	H. S. Daniel.....	Louisa, R. F. D. 1.

CHARGE	SCHOOL	SUPERINTENDENT	POST OFFICE (Virginia, unless otherwise stated.)
Madison and Moun- tain Mission	Oak Grove.....	H. C. Tysinger.....	Banco.
"	Mt. Mission.....	J. W. Woodward.....	Syria.
"	Mt. Olivet.....	A. L. Murray.....	Syria.
"	Rose Park.....	J. T. Willis.....	Shelby.
Monroe.....	Bethany.....	O. R. Pettyjohn.....	Monroe, R. F. D.
"	Monroe.....	W. A. Glazier.....	Monroe.
"	New Hope.....	Frank Garbee.....	Madison Heights, R. F. D.
"	Smyrna.....	Nelson Hicks.....	Monroe, R. F. D.
Mt. Pleasant.....	Asbury.....	William Staton.....	Oronoco.
"	El Bethel.....	A. L. Camden.....	Sandiges, R. F. D.
"	Ivy Hill.....	Percy Campbell.....	Sandiges, R. F. D.
"	Macedonia.....	Van R. Crawford.....	Alto.
"	Mt. Horeb.....	W. J. Black.....	Willow.
"	Mt. Pleasant.....	H. G. Watts.....	Sandiges, R. F. D.
"	Shady Grove.....	L. L. Staton.....	Forks of Buffalo.
Nelson.....	Bethlehem.....	W. H. Parrish.....	Roseland.
"	Centenary.....	M. D. Thacker.....	Arrington.
"	Lovington.....	H. D. Gleason.....	Lovington.
"	Montreal.....	J. E. Purvis.....	Shipman.
Orange.....	Bethlehem.....	R. B. Harris.....	Unionville.
"	Palmyra.....	Geo. W. Pannill.....	Raccoon Ford.
"	Salem.....	I. D. Chewing.....	Rhodesville.
"	Trinity.....	W. F. J. Camper.....	Orange.
Rapidan.....	Mt. Zion.....	J. P. Goodall.....	Oak Park.
"	New Bethel.....	F. E. Estes.....	Rochelle.
"	Walker's.....	Mrs. George Tatum.....	Twyman's Mill.
"	Westover.....	Miss Janie Curtley.....	Seaville.
Rappahannock.....	Amissville.....	E. L. Hackley.....	Amissville.
"	Flint Hill.....	A. T. Coppage.....	Flint Hill.
"	Jeffersonton.....	W. H. Werner.....	Jeffersonton.
"	Oak Shade.....	W. H. Botts.....	Rixeyville.
"	Sperryville.....	C. F. Menefee.....	Sperryville.
"	Willis' Chapel.....	A. G. Smith.....	Front Royal.
Scottsville.....	Alberene.....	W. L. Harrison.....	Alberene.
"	Carter's Hill.....	J. M. McClary.....	Carter's Bridge.
"	Mt. Olivet.....	J. O. Barksdale.....	Red Hill.
"	Mt. Zion.....	W. O. Mahone.....	Esmont.
"	Scottsville.....	Jackson Beal.....	Scottsville.
South Amherst.....	Bayley's.....	Doc Peters.....	Madison Heights, R. F. D.
"	Bethlehem.....	J. W. McCraw.....	Madison Heights, R. F. D.
"	Beulah.....	S. H. Grow.....	Stapleton.
"	Piedmont.....	J. R. Stevens.....	Asbestine.
"	Poplar.....	C. E. Hamilton.....	Amherst, R. F. D. 2.
"	St. James.....	Jas. Christian.....	Walker's Ford.
"	Wesleyan.....	E. C. Evans.....	Tye River.
South Nelson.....	Bethany.....	R. L. Glover.....	Wingina.
"	Bethel.....	A. E. Vaughan.....	Schuyler.
"	Centenary.....	M. C. Harris.....	Faber, R. F. D.
"	Elmington.....	J. W. Wheeler.....	Elmington.
"	Howardsville.....	B. M. Shepherd.....	Howardsville.
"	Salem.....	R. E. Carter.....	Schuyler.
"	Sunnyside.....	P. K. Kidd.....	Rockfish.
West Amherst.....	Centenary.....	M. D. Burford.....	Waugh.
"	Mt. Tabor.....	R. W. Bonc.....	Agricola.
"	Pleasants' Chapel.....	J. M. Rucker.....	Pedlar Mills.
"	Snowden.....	G. E. Shrader.....	Snowden.
West Goochland.....	Apple Grove.....	E. W. Perkins.....	Apple Grove.
"	Corinth.....	H. H. Hicks.....	Elk Hill, R. F. D.
"	Gum Spring.....	Chas. M. Moss.....	Dongola.
"	Oak Grove.....	John Best.....	Maiden's.
West Hanover.....	Beaver Dam.....	A. W. Redd.....	Beaver Dam.
"	Mt. Hope.....	W. A. Rice.....	Doswell.
"	Rowzie's.....	J. A. Moss.....	Beaver Dam, R. F. D.
"	Shiloh.....	V. O. Clements.....	Beaver Dam, R. F. D.

Danville District

Cascade.....	Beckham.....	G. T. Eggleston.....	Axton.
"	Bethel.....	C. H. Hall.....	Leaksville, N. C.
"	Brosville.....	J. S. Oakes.....	Cascade.
"	Cascade.....	G. H. French.....	Cascade.
"	Centenary.....	D. F. Dunlop.....	Axton.
"	Joppa.....	E. G. Eggleston.....	Ridgeway.
"	Providence.....	J. H. Ragsdale.....	Danville.

CHARGE	SCHOOL	SUPERINTENDENT	POST OFFICE (Virginia, unless otherwise stated.)
Chatham.....	Concord.....	C. J. Ragsdale.....	Chatham.
".....	Mt. Pleasant.....	G. T. Carter.....	Dry Fork.
".....	Oakland.....	J. L. Carter.....	Chatham.
".....	Olive Branch.....	C. W. Easley.....	Sandy Level.
".....	Siloam.....	J. Roy Bennett.....	Toshes.
".....	Watson Memorial..	F. B. Watson.....	Chatham.
Danville:			
Cabell St. Memo- rial.....	{ Cabell St. Memorial.....	E. G. Moseley.....	Danville.
Calvary.....	Calvary.....	H. M. Martin.....	Danville.
Grace.....	Grace.....	Ira E. Elliott.....	Danville.
Main Street.....	Main Street.....	C. G. Evans.....	Danville.
Mt. Vernon.....	Mt. Vernon.....	Frank Talbott.....	Danville.
Schoolfield.....	Schoolfield.....	W. L. Fitzgerald.....	Schoolfield.
Sledd Memorial..	Sledd Memorial..	E. F. Bragg.....	Danville.
".....	Stokesland.....	J. H. Calame.....	Stokesland.
Danville Ct.....	Bethel.....	Mark Penn.....	Ringgold.
".....	Design.....	John A. Cole.....	Danville.
".....	Fairview.....	W. S. Martin.....	Danville.
".....	Mt. Olivet.....	G. C. Coates.....	Danville.
".....	Rock Springs.....	A. E. Clark.....	Ringgold.
".....	Sutherland.....	J. B. Hodges.....	Sutherland.
".....	Wesley Chapel....	I. A. Evans.....	Danville.
East Franklin.....	Craft's.....	E. D. Poindexter..	Glade Hill.
".....	Epworth.....	J. W. Turner.....	Halesford.
".....	Mt. Zion.....	W. T. F. Powell....	Pen Hook.
".....	Northfield.....	A. R. Preston.....	Pen Hook.
East Halifax.....	Clover.....	E. S. Martin.....	Clover.
".....	Concord.....	Talbott Tidings....	Crystal Hill.
".....	Mt. Laurel.....	L. R. Lacks.....	Clover, R. F. D.
".....	Scottsburg.....	L. D. Bailey.....	Scottsburg.
Ferrum.....	Ferrum.....	P. T. Slone.....	Ferrum.
Franklin.....	Boone's Mill.....	T. N. Wright.....	Boone's Mill.
".....	Flint Hill.....	J. H. Pugh.....	Wirtz.
".....	Red Valley.....	T. J. Kennett.....	Boone's Mill.
".....	Red Wood.....	W. J. Hall.....	Red Wood.
".....	Trinity.....	A. L. Hanabass.....	Hardy.
Henry.....	Axton.....	Mrs. H. S. Slayden..	Sackton.
".....	Bassett.....	W. C. Weaver.....	Bassett.
".....	Granbery.....	W. P. Emmerson.....	Axton.
".....	Meadow.....	Mrs. J. D. Wilson....	Spencer.
".....	Mt. Bethel.....	H. N. Mitchell.....	Sandville.
".....	Mountain Top.....	J. W. B. Taylor.....	Preston.
".....	Mount Zion.....	William Smith.....	Price, N. C.
".....	Ridgeway.....	T. K. Jones.....	Ridgeway.
Hycoc.....	Cherry Hill.....	L. B. Quinn.....	South Boston.
".....	Christie.....	S. J. Calloway.....	Christie.
".....	Mt. Cana.....	L. S. Wolfe.....	South Boston.
".....	Shady Grove.....	W. C. Hubbard.....	Virgilina.
".....	Virgilina.....	Mrs. H. C. Crowell..	Virgilina.
Martinsville.....	Martinsville.....	I. M. Groves.....	Martinsville.
North Patrick.....	Elamsville.....	Miss Judith Turner..	Elamsville.
".....	Harris' Chapel....	R. C. Harris.....	Willis.
".....	Mt. View.....	L. W. Hylton.....	Vesta.
".....	Pleasant Grove....	W. G. Weaver.....	Woolwine.
".....	Pole Bridge.....	J. H. Belton.....	Elamsville.
".....	Trinity.....	W. A. Thompson.....	Nowlin's Mill.
Patrick.....	Concord.....	J. H. Shockley.....	Stuart.
".....	Creasy's Chapel..	H. H. Hanby.....	Stuart.
".....	Nettle Ridge.....	W. P. Tatum.....	Nettle Ridge.
".....	New Hope.....	W. E. Simmons.....	Nettle Ridge.
".....	Providence.....	T. W. Lanier.....	Shuff.
".....	Salem.....	P. L. Zentmeyer.....	Stella.
Pittsylvania.....	Anderson's Chapel.	J. C. Smith.....	Axton.
".....	Hopewell.....	W. C. Elliott.....	Dry Fork.
".....	Salem.....	S. A. Moorman.....	Dry Fork.
".....	St. John.....	B. L. Harvey.....	Danville.
".....	Swansonville.....	B. L. Taylor.....	Whitmell.
".....	Trinity.....	J. D. Turner.....	Callands.
".....	Whitmell.....	C. A. Pritchett.....	Whitmell.
Rocky Mount.....	Rocky Mount.....	N. P. Angle.....	Rocky Mount.
South Boston.....	Main Street.....	T. A. Webb.....	South Boston.
".....	West End.....	F. T. Hunt.....	South Boston.
".....	Houston.....	W. J. Gates.....	Houston.

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South Franklin.....	Bethlehem.....	T. M. Hodges.....	Sydnorsville.
".....	Pleasant Grove.....	W. L. Mitchell.....	Figsboro.
".....	Pleasant Hill.....	A. L. Luke.....	Rocky Mount.
".....	Snow Creek.....	G. C. Gravely.....	Sago.
South Halifax.....	Calvary.....	J. W. Williamson.....	Milton, N. C.
".....	Cedar Grove.....	R. A. Bradshaw.....	Alton.
".....	Glenwood.....	Baldwin Monk.....	South Boston.
".....	Harmony.....	H. N. Trickey.....	Harmony.
".....	Olive Branch.....	W. F. Tulloh.....	Alton.
Stuart & Wayside...	Stuart.....	W. E. Clark.....	Stuart.
".....	Wayside.....	C. C. Goad.....	Stuart.
West Franklin.....	Bethany.....	L. J. Derby.....	Ferrum.
".....	Gogginsville.....	H. B. Pinkard.....	Gogginsville.
".....	Highland.....	J. A. Mills.....	Callaway.
".....	New Hope.....	Mrs. P. C. Walker.....	Callaway.

Eastern Shore District

Accomac.....	Accomac.....	J. D. Grant.....	Accomac.
".....	Woodbury.....	W. H. Russell.....	Rue.
Allen.....	Asbury.....	Roscoe Jones.....	Allen, Md.
".....	Eden.....	Edward Bosman.....	Eden, Md.
".....	Trinity.....	John Huffington.....	Allen, Md.
Andrew Chapel.....	Andrew Chapel.....	G. W. Moore.....	Cashville.
Atlantic.....	Assawoman.....	L. M. Chasser.....	Assawoman.
".....	Downing's.....	W. L. Trader.....	Oak Hall.
".....	Horntown.....	T. P. Evans.....	Horntown.
".....	Temperanceville...	W. H. Pruitt.....	Temperanceville.
Bloxom.....	Bloxom.....	A. W. Short.....	Bloxom.
".....	Guilford.....	J. R. Riggs.....	Bloxom.
".....	St. Thomas.....	J. T. Wessells.....	Mason's.
Broadwater and Bethel.....	Bethel.....	J. W. Mears.....	Jamesville.
Broadwater.....	Broadwater.....	W. L. Ellzey.....	Exmore.
Broadwater Mission.....	Broadwater Mission.....	Richard Carpenter...	Broadwater.
Cambridge.....	Grace.....	T. H. Maguire.....	Cambridge, Md.
Cambridge Ct.....	Antioch.....	J. S. Skinner.....	Cambridge, Md.
".....	Bucktown.....	Albert Smith.....	Cambridge, Md., R.F.D.
".....	Friendship.....	J. E. Phillips.....	Airey's, Md.
".....	Milton.....	J. P. Asplin.....	Woolford's, Md.
Cape Charles.....	Cape Charles.....	J. W. Wilson.....	Cape Charles.
Capeville.....	Capeville.....	E. V. Downs.....	Capeville.
".....	Chapel.....	O. L. Rooks.....	Townsend.
Cheriton.....	Sunnyside.....	J. A. Hamilton.....	Cheriton.
".....	Travis' Chapel.....	W. J. Broadwater.....	Oyster.
Craddockville and Belle Haven..	Belle Haven.....	Percy Savage.....	Belle Haven.
".....	Craddockville.....	Henry Martin.....	Craddockville.
Dorchester.....	Madison.....	John F. Toll.....	Madison, Md.
".....	Taylor's Island.....	H. W. Landen.....	Taylor's Island, Md.
Franktown and Johnson's...	Franktown.....	E. G. Tankard.....	Nassawaddox.
".....	Johnson's.....	J. T. Badger.....	Bird's Nest.
".....	Nassawaddox.....	J. P. Westcott.....	Nassawaddox.
Keller.....	Garrison's.....	John Ames.....	Keller.
".....	Keller.....	L. C. Mears.....	Keller.
".....	Oak Grove.....	J. F. Beasley.....	Keller.
".....	Painter.....	G. A. Bonnewell.....	Painter.
Onancock.....	Onancock.....	J. C. W. Leatherbury..	Onancock.
Onley, Locustville and Melfa...	Locustville.....	E. Frank Jones.....	Onley.
".....	Melfa.....	Lee James.....	Melfa.
".....	Onley.....	C. R. Waters.....	Onley.
Pocomoke.....	Pittsville.....	Lanson Parks.....	Miona.
".....	Pocomoke.....	H. N. Bundick.....	Sanford, Md..
".....	Sanford.....	W. H. Stantz.....	Sanford, Md.
".....	Saxis.....	Harvey Drewer.....	Saxis Island, Md.
Pungoteague.....	Evergreen.....	Robert Bonnewell.....	Harborton.
".....	Harborton.....	R. L. Gray.....	Harborton.

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Pungoteague.....	Pungoteague.....	S. W. Ames.....	Pungoteague.
Salisbury.....	Trinity.....	G. William Phillips....	Salisbury, Md.
".....	St. Andrew's.....	George Kersey.....	Salisbury, Md.
".....	Washington.....	A. L. Brewington.....	Salisbury, Md.
South Dorchester...	Bethel.....	Carl Veach.....	Hoopersville, Md...
".....	Hosier Memorial...	Walter Cannon.....	Fishing Creek, Md.
".....	Nazareth.....	L. A. Adams.....	Crapo, Md.
St. Martin's.....	Campbelltown.....	Thomas Timmons.....	Campbelltown, Md.
".....	St. Martin's.....	Francis Griffin.....	Berlin, Md.
".....	Taylorsville.....	Sampson Smallwood...	Berlin, Md.
Wachapreague and Smith's Chapel	Wachapreague.....	C. E. Mears.....	Wachapreague.
".....	Smith's Chapel....	G. Hornsby.....	Painter.

Farmville District

Amelia.....	Jetersville.....	R. B. Warriner.....	Jetersville.
".....	Moore's.....	Geo. A. Rowlett.....	Chula.
".....	Providence.....	Luther E. Glenn.....	Rice.
".....	Tabernacle.....	R. L. Blanton.....	Amelia.
".....	Trinity.....	R. R. Barnes.....	Amelia.
Blackstone.....	Crenshaw's.....	Geo. P. Adams.....	Blackstone.
".....	College.....	E. S. Bennett.....	Blackstone.
Boydton.....	Boydton.....	Marvin H. Beales.....	Boydton.
Buckingham.....	Arvonias.....	Thos. H. Ford.....	Arvonias.
".....	Brown's.....	D. A. Keller.....	Cumberland, R. F. D.
".....	Hanes' Chapel....	S. L. Holman.....	Dillwyn.
".....	Rocky Mount.....	S. J. Fulcher.....	Dillwyn.
".....	Salem.....	J. A. Caruthers.....	Guinea Mills.
".....	White Hall.....	H. M. White.....	Dillwyn.
Burkeville.....	Barker Memorial..	T. E. Staples.....	Burkeville.
".....	Bethel.....	C. W. Phelps.....	Burkeville.
".....	Salem.....	J. E. Hubbard.....	Rice.
".....	Ward's.....	J. H. Shank.....	Crewe, R. F. D.
Cartersville.....	Cartersville.....	H. J. Rhodes.....	Cartersville.
".....	Hopewell.....	J. B. Cox.....	Ballsville.
".....	Oakwood.....	M. H. Baker.....	Columbia.
".....	Thomas' Chapel..	C. R. Sanderson.....	Cartersville.
Charlotte.....	Charlotte.....	F. W. Roach.....	Drake's Branch.
".....	Drake's Branch...	W. S. Gregory.....	Drake's Branch.
".....	Lebanon.....	J. A. Farrar.....	Drake's Branch.
".....	Plantersville.....	H. C. Thompson.....	Drake's Branch.
Chase City.....	Chase City.....	E. S. Emory.....	Chase City.
Clarksville.....	Clarksville.....	W. H. Russell.....	Clarksville.
Crewe.....	Crewe.....	S. E. Marks.....	Crewe.
Cumberland.....	Antioch.....	J. P. Baltimore.....	Farmville, R. F. D.
".....	Centenary.....	J. W. Crute.....	Farmville, R. F. D.
".....	Grove.....	J. L. Carter.....	Sunnyside.
".....	Guinea Mills.....	A. W. Chappell.....	Guinea Mills.
".....	Hatcher's.....	W. J. Keller.....	Dillwyn, R. F. D.
".....	Hobson's.....	W. D. Hobson.....	Cumberland.
".....	Stoddart's.....	Louis Crawley.....	Farmville, R. F. D.
East Nottoway.....	Mays.....	A. C. Bevell.....	Wellville, R. F. D.
".....	Oak Grove.....	J. P. Lambert.....	Blackstone, R. F. D.
".....	Poplar Hill.....	R. W. Allen.....	Ammon.
".....	Rocky Hill.....	John A. Orange.....	Blackstone, R. F. D.
".....	White's.....	Dr. J. W. Davis.....	Blackstone, R. F. D.
Farmville.....	Farmville.....	S. P. Duke.....	Farmville.
Kenbridge.....	Fletcher's.....	J. H. Robertson.....	Kenbridge, R. F. D.
".....	Kenbridge.....	W. F. Kennedy.....	Kenbridge.
".....	Thrift's.....	E. W. Marshall.....	Victoria.
Lunenburg.....	Antioch.....	R. E. Blackwell.....	Hollydale.
".....	Providence.....	A. S. Bridgeforth.....	Olo.
".....	Williams'.....	W. F. Bacon.....	Eanes' Cross Roads.
North Mecklenburg.	El Bethel.....	L. G. Bundy.....	Baskerville.
".....	Salem.....	M. M. Kibler.....	Chase City.
".....	Shiloh.....	M. L. Crowder.....	Union Level.
".....	Zion.....	C. O. Wilkinson.....	Union Level.
Nottoway.....	Bethel.....	J. E. Keller.....	Blackstone.
".....	St. John's.....	T. C. Reams.....	Amelia.

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Nottoway.....	St. Mark's.....	J. T. Hood.....	Crewe.
".....	St. Matthew's.....	F. L. Dunn.....	Nottoway.
Powhatan.....	Centenary.....	V. G. Traylor.....	Winterpock.
".....	Epworth.....	J. M. Jones.....	Mattoax.
".....	Meadville.....	J. W. Pierce.....	Macon.
".....	Rocky Oak.....	Gordon Maxey.....	Fine Creek Mills.
Prince Edward.....	Beulah.....	S. A. Nelson.....	Charlotte.
".....	Keysville.....	J. E. Harris.....	Keysville.
".....	Meherrin.....	L. D. Perkinson.....	Meherrin.
".....	Mt. Pleasant.....	G. M. Redd.....	Meherrin, R. F. D.
".....	Pleasant Grove.....	D. Terrell.....	Keysville, R. F. D.
Prospect.....	Olive Branch.....	Geo. D. Warriner.....	Prospect.
".....	Prospect.....	B. T. Taylor.....	Prospect.
".....	Smyrna.....	N. A. Pollard.....	Prospect.
South Charlotte.....	Hebron.....	D. L. Clements.....	Formosa.
".....	New Hope.....	A. B. Rice.....	Randolph.
".....	Phoenix.....	J. W. Payne.....	Phoenix.
".....	Saxe.....	E. C. Moore.....	Saxe.
Trinity.....	Easter's.....	R. W. Carter.....	Baskerville.
".....	Ephesus.....	G. D. Moore.....	Jeffress.
".....	Field's.....	J. T. Newton.....	Clarksville.
".....	Rehoboth.....	W. H. Crute.....	Boydton.
Victoria.....	Lunenburg.....	Geo. T. Allen.....	Lunenburg.
".....	Rehoboth.....	Rev. J. P. Finch.....	Keysville, R. F. D.
".....	Victoria.....	R. E. Stables.....	Victoria.
West Buckingham.....	Bethel.....	Fred Cole.....	Fore's Store.
".....	Centenary.....	Miss Carrie Steger.....	Warren.
".....	Glenmore.....	Mrs. Nora J. Jones.....	Glenmore.
".....	Mt. Tabor.....	J. D. Stroupe.....	Wingina.
".....	Trinity.....	A. C. Garnett, Jr.....	Buckingham.
".....	Woodland.....	G. C. Ripley.....	Wingina.

Lynchburg District

Alta Vista.....	Alta Vista.....	W. G. Lane.....	Alta Vista.
Appomattox.....	Appomattox.....	S. L. Ferguson.....	Appomattox.
Appomattox Ct.....	Bethel.....	J. P. Alvis.....	Spout Spring.
".....	Hermion.....	R. A. Hamilton.....	Vera.
".....	Mt. Comfort.....	Clarence Moore.....	Oakville.
".....	Trinity.....	S. R. Martin.....	Stapleton..
Bedford City.....	Bedford City.....	J. J. Scott.....	Bedford City.
Bedford Ct.....	Center Point.....	J. C. Skinnell.....	Bedford, R. F. D., 5.
".....	Ebenezer.....	Owen Watson.....	Bedford, R. F. D., 7.
".....	Otterville.....	W. S. Perrow.....	Bedford, R. F. D., 1.
".....	Salem.....	J. S. Hardy.....	Bedford, R. F. D., 1.
Bedford Springs.....	Early Chapel.....	John C. Marsh.....	Lynchburg, R. F. D., 1.
".....	Forest.....	G. C. Duncan.....	Forest Depot.
".....	Lebanon.....	H. C. Woodford.....	Evington.
".....	New London.....	W. M. Bass.....	Forest, R. F. D., 1.
".....	Shiloh.....	W. B. Solmons.....	Lynchburg, R. F. D., 1.
Brookneal.....	Brookneal.....	W. H. Genther.....	Brookneal.
".....	Franklin.....	J. F. Epperson.....	Gladys, R. F. D.
".....	Mt. Carmel.....	A. A. Mason.....	Brookneal, R. F. D., 2.
".....	Sharon.....	Martin Harper.....	Naruna.
Campbell.....	Hays Chapel.....	Frank Stone.....	Rustburg.
".....	Mount Ara.....	W. L. Garbee.....	Lawyer.
".....	Rustburg.....	G. A. Coleman.....	Rustburg.
".....	Salem.....	J. Arthur.....	Evington, R. F. D., 1.
".....	White.....	E. W. Williams.....	Lynchburg, R. F. D., 2.
Central Bedford.....	Bethany.....	T. S. West.....	Bellevue.
".....	Carmel.....	William Miller.....	Forest, R. F. D.
".....	Ivy Chapel.....	Miss Nellie Lindsay.....	Forest, R. F. D.
".....	Nazareth.....	C. E. Logwood.....	Goode, R. F. D., 1.
".....	Oakland.....	Aubrey Padgett.....	Lowry, R. F. D., 1.
Concord.....	Bethany.....	T. T. Wright.....	Rustburg.
".....	Bethlehem.....	Chas B. Cross.....	Concord Depot.
".....	Early Chapel.....	A. B. Martin.....	Concord Depot.
".....	Indian Hill.....	L. M. Kelly.....	Concord Depot.
".....	Mt. Olivet.....	A. P. Carson.....	Concord Depot.
".....	Salem.....	R. W. Nowlin.....	Spout Spring.

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Elba.....	Anderson Memorial	J. H. Trent.....	Gretna.
".....	Payneton.....	J. F. Riddle.....	Chatham, R. F. D., 2.
".....	Providence.....	G. C. Adams.....	Java.
".....	Zion.....	J. B. Andrews.....	Chatham, R. F. D., 5.
Gladys.....	Calvary.....	Jas. G. Brown.....	Gladys, R. F. D.
".....	Mt. Zion.....	J. G. Marshall.....	Gladys, R. F. D.
".....	New Bethel.....	W. W. Jones.....	Gladys, R. F. D., 2.
".....	Wesleybury.....	W. M. Morgan.....	Gladys.
Halifax.....	Asbury.....	W. T. Weatherford.....	Houston, R. F. D., 3.
".....	McKendree.....	W. T. Tune.....	Houston, R. F. D., 3.
".....	Republican Grove.	I. A. Long.....	Republican Grove.
".....	Union.....	W. E. Anderson.....	Houston, R. F. D., 1.
Lynchburg:			
Centenary.....	Centenary.....	R. L. Wingfield.....	Lynchburg.
Court Street.....	Court Street.....	E. F. Sheffield.....	Lynchburg.
Memorial.....	Memorial.....	John Victor.....	Lynchburg.
Rivermont Ave...	Rivermont Ave...	E. E. Menefee.....	Lynchburg.
Trinity.....	Trinity.....	R. W. Giles.....	Lynchburg.
West End.....	West End.....	Lloyd Moore.....	Lynchburg.
Lynchburg Ct.....	Fair View.....	H. F. Watts.....	Lynchburg.
".....	Providence.....	John Lindsay.....	Lynchburg, R. F. D., 2.
".....	South View.....	E. O. Sandifer.....	Lynchburg.
Madison Heights..	Madison Heights..	J. M. Wright.....	Madison Heights.
Middle Bedford..	Bethesda.....	T. A. Austin.....	Leesville.
".....	Ephesus.....		
".....	Hickory Grove...	O. B. Murry.....	Bedford, R. F. D., 4.
".....	Nicopolis.....	E. A. Gills.....	Bedford, R. F. D., 5.
".....	Wilson.....	T. K. Phelps.....	Bedford, R. F. D., 3.
Montvale.....	Epworth.....	T. O. McCann.....	Thaxton.
".....	Montvale.....	C. C. Noel.....	Montvale.
".....	Thomas Chapel...	Albert Gray.....	Thaxton, R. F. D.
".....	Walnut Grove.....	(Union School).....	
North Bedford....	Big Island.....	R. D. Blankenship...	Big Island.
".....	Boonsboro.....	D. H. Oglesby.....	Lynchburg, R. F. D., 4.
".....	Coves.....	J. P. Taylor.....	Coleman's Falls.
".....	Mt. Gilead.....	O. C. Jones.....	Lynchburg, R. F. D., 4.
".....	Reusens.....	W. L. Davis.....	Reusens.
".....	Union Hill.....	J. J. Reynolds.....	Waugh.
North Pittsylvania.	Cedar Forest.....	E. Cothran.....	Melrose, R. F. D.
".....	Hurt.....	Victor Allen.....	Hurt.
".....	Motley.....	C. A. Farmer.....	Motley.
".....	New Bethel.....	J. N. Marr.....	Hurt.
".....	Oak Grove.....	R. B. A. Davis.....	Melrose.
".....	St. Andrew's.....	L. B. Gravely.....	Mt. Airy.
Pamplin.....	Centenary.....	W. H. DeFord.....	Madisonville.
".....	Epworth.....	B. Elliott.....	Phoenix.
".....	Evergreen.....	Frank Austin.....	Evergreen.
".....	Pamplin.....	O. E. Peterson.....	Pamplin.
".....	Piney Ridge.....	C. E. Taylor.....	Evergreen.
".....	Trinity.....	W. G. Cabiness.....	Brookneal.
".....	Wesley Chapel...	L. L. Lewis.....	Appomattox.
South Bedford....	Independence.....	E. H. Hogan.....	Leesville.
".....	Leftwich.....	W. E. Arthur.....	Huddleston.
".....	Mt. Horeb.....	W. D. Ashwell.....	Huddleston.
".....	Providence.....	L. H. Carter.....	Stone Mountain.
West Bedford.....	Bethlehem.....		
".....	Diamond Hill.....		
".....	Emmaus.....	P. M. Kiester.....	Moneta.
".....	Parrish Chapel...	H. M. Murrell.....	Good View.
".....	Stewardsville.....	James Abbott.....	Stewardsville.
".....	Union.....	C. G. Watson.....	Thaxton.
West Campbell....	Evington.....	Dr. C. W. Haden.....	Evington.
".....	Lamb's.....	R. H. Trent.....	Lynch Station.
".....	Leesville.....	W. A. Withers.....	Leesville.
".....	Mt. Hermon.....	M. L. Anthony.....	Lynch Station.
".....	Perrow's Chapel...	M. H. Harris.....	Gladys, R. F. D.
".....	Rehoboth.....	J. C. Phillips.....	Evington.

Norfolk District

CHARGE	SCHOOL	SUPERINTENDENT	POST OFFICE (Virginia, unless otherwise stated.)
Denby and Fairmount...	Denby.....	A. C. Philpotts.....	Norfolk.
".....	Fairmount.....	E. W. Allen.....	Norfolk.
East York.....	Tabernacle.....	C. W. Smith.....	Hampton, R. F. D. 2.
".....	Trinity.....	W. R. Holloway.....	Messick.
Fox Hill.....	Fox Hill.....	Geo. W. Johnson.....	Hampton.
Hampton:			
Central.....	Central.....	W. L. Hudgins.....	Hampton.
First Church.....	First Church.....	Chas. Heffelfinger.....	Hampton.
Hampton Roads.....	Cottonwood.....	J. M. Wilson.....	Newport News.
".....	East Hampton.....	E. L. Wallace.....	Hampton.
".....	Upper Fox Hill.....	C. E. Rowe.....	Hampton.
Larchmont.....	Larchmont.....	V. W. Emory.....	Larchmont, Norfolk.
Lynnhaven.....	Haygood.....	B. W. Shelton.....	Norfolk, R. F. D.
".....	Lynnhaven.....	Willie Bright.....	Lynnhaven.
".....	Salem.....	T. S. Ward.....	Princess Anne.
Mt. Vernon.....	Cava.....	B. F. Brothers.....	Vine.
".....	Mt. Pleasant.....	C. F. Cason.....	Fentress.
".....	Mt. Vernon.....	D. S. White.....	Fentress.
Norfolk:			
Brambleton Ave..	Brambleton Ave..	J. J. Dozier.....	Norfolk.
Colonial Avenue..	Colonial Avenue..	J. V. Borum.....	Norfolk.
Cumberland St....	Cumberland St....	Semmes Chapman.....	Norfolk.
Epworth.....	Epworth.....	Dr. R. Paul Jones.....	Norfolk.
Ghent.....	Ghent.....	W. W. Vicar.....	Norfolk.
LeKies Memorial..	LeKies Memorial..	J. H. Shumadine.....	Norfolk.
Liberty Street....	Liberty Street....	George Parker.....	South Norfolk.
McKendree.....	McKendree.....	Walter Hitt.....	Norfolk.
Memorial.....	Memorial.....	M. C. Keeling.....	Norfolk.
Park Place.....	Park Place.....	Paul White.....	Norfolk.
Zion.....	Zion.....	V. L. Backus.....	Norfolk.
North Princess Anne	Providence.....	Joseph H. Bell.....	Oceana.
".....	Virginia Beach.....	H. R. Holland.....	Virginia Beach.
Oaklette and Camp- ostella.....	Campostella.....	Herbert Lewis.....	Norfolk.
".....	Oaklette.....	J. W. Paxton.....	Norfolk, R. F. D., 1.
Ocean View.....	Ocean View.....		Ocean View.
Princess Anne.....	Nimmo's.....	J. H. Whitehurst.....	Princess Anne.
".....	Tabernacle.....	A. C. Malbon.....	Pungo.
".....	Wash Woods.....	R. L. Knight.....	Virginia Beach.
South Norfolk.....	Bethesda.....	Chas. E. Upton.....	Hickory.
".....	Good Hope.....	L. W. West.....	Hickory.
".....	Hickory.....	Tony Coggeshall.....	Hickory.
".....	Oak Grove.....	W. J. Bray.....	Norfolk, R. F. D., 4.
South Princess Anne	Beech Grove.....	M. B. Flanagan.....	Princess Anne.
".....	Bethel.....	L. R. Cason.....	Back Bay.
".....	Charity.....	R. J. Munden.....	Princess Anne.
".....	Knott's Island.....	W. L. Bowden.....	Knott's Island, N. C.
York.....	Providence.....	W. E. Moore.....	Dare.
".....	Zion.....	J. Y. Slight.....	Seaford.

Petersburg District

Brunswick.....	Antioch.....	R. Lee Winn.....	Warfield.
".....	Mt. Carmel.....	A. M. Raney.....	Smoky Ordinary.
".....	Mt. Pleasant.....	B. A. Perkins.....	North Emporia, R. F. D.
".....	Pelham's.....	A. S. Jones.....	Radium.
Chester and Ivey Memorial.....	Chester.....	E. N. Perdue.....	Chester.
".....	Ivey Memorial.....	W. G. Ivey.....	Petersburg.
Chesterfield.....	Beulah.....	G. E. W. Trent.....	Drewry's Bluff.
".....	Hopewell.....	J. W. Myers.....	Richmond, R. F. D., 8.
".....	Mt. Gilead.....	F. L. Jackson.....	Ettrick.
City Point.....	City Point.....	R. G. Griswold.....	City Point.
Dinwiddie.....	Crawford's.....	D. P. Wilkinson.....	Dinwiddie.
".....	Hawkins.....	M. A. Raney.....	Dinwiddie.
".....	Lebanon.....	T. M. Netherland.....	Dinwiddie.
".....	Rocky Run.....	John H. Lee.....	De Witt.

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East Dinwiddie...	Carson.....	R. T. Hawks.....	Carson.
".....	Lloyd's.....	H. P. Goodwin.....	Stony Creek, R. F. D.
".....	Oak Grove.....	J. H. Wyatt.....	Petersburg, R. F. D., 1.
".....	Rowanta.....	J. E. Washer.....	Carson, R. F. D.
".....	Salem.....	R. M. Brown.....	Carson, R. F. D., 2.
".....	Smith's Grove.....	B. F. Lewis.....	Petersburg, R. F. D., 4
".....	Tabernacle.....	T. H. Malone.....	Rowanta.
Emporia.....	North Emporia.....	W. R. Cato.....	North Emporia.
".....	South Emporia.....	G. L. Vincent.....	South Emporia.
Ettrick.....	Ettrick.....	Geo. E. Marks.....	Ettrick.
Greeneville.....	Corinth.....	J. G. Gordon.....	Skipper's.
".....	Independence.....	J. J. Jackson.....	Emporia, R. F. D.
".....	Round Hill.....	W. R. Hunt.....	Emporia, R. F. D.
".....	St. Andrew's.....	J. L. Bryant.....	Emporia, R. F. D.
Hopewell.....	Hopewell.....	J. W. Lord.....	Hopewell.
Lawrenceville.....	Edgerton.....	V. H. Blick.....	Edgerton.
".....	Lawrenceville.....	W. A. Trotter.....	Lawrenceville.
".....	Liberty.....	E. A. Christopher.....	Dolphin.
".....	Pleasant Grove.....	F. M. Orgain.....	Meredithville.
Matoaca.....	Matoaca.....	Horace Mann.....	Matoaca.
Mecklenburg.....	Canaan.....	J. E. Matthews.....	La Crosse.
".....	Kingswood.....	J. H. Russell.....	Bracey.
".....	La Crosse.....	J. S. Montgomery.....	La Crosse.
".....	Rehoboth.....	M. F. King.....	Black Ridge.
".....	Sardis.....	W. L. Cleaton.....	Marengo.
Petersburg:			
Blandford.....	Blandford.....	W. F. Edwards.....	Petersburg.
High Street.....	High Street.....	I. R. Dyer.....	Petersburg.
Market Street.....	Market Street.....	A. B. Bradsher.....	Petersburg, R. F. D.
Memorial.....	Memorial.....	J. M. Jefferson.....	Petersburg.
Washington St.....	Washington Street.....	W. A. Williamson.....	Petersburg.
Wesley.....	Wesley.....	G. E. Meredith.....	Petersburg.
Prince George.....	Gary's.....	J. W. Rogers.....	Petersburg, R. F. D., 2.
".....	Mt. Sinai.....	F. A. Epps.....	Disputanta.
".....	Newville.....	A. R. Clary.....	Disputanta.
".....	Sycamore.....	E. H. Cummings.....	Prince George.
".....	Trinity.....	A. N. Cocks.....	Disputanta.
".....	Warwick.....	O. S. Williams.....	Disputanta.
South Brunswick.....	Bethany.....	W. M. McAden.....	Brodnax.
".....	Bethlehem.....	J. R. Williams.....	Crichton.
".....	Brodnax.....	B. D. Pennington.....	Brodnax.
".....	Diamond Grove.....	H. H. Rawlings.....	Charlie Hope.
".....	Olive Branch.....	Mrs. Lucy K. Jones.....	Gasburg.
".....	Prospect.....	R. S. Moseley.....	Spring Bank.
".....	Spring Hill.....	Mrs. W. E. Goodrich.....	Edgerton.
".....	Tabernacle.....	T. C. Harrison.....	White Plains.
South Chesterfield.....	Wesley.....	Ivan Perkinson.....	Ettrick.
".....	Woods.....	L. H. Rhodes.....	Beach, R. F. D.
South Dinwiddie.....	Asbury.....	J. M. Zehmer.....	McKenney.
".....	Butterwood.....	E. E. Dickerson.....	Wellville, R. F. D.
".....	Manson's.....	L. R. Doyle.....	McKenney.
".....	Mt. Olivet.....	C. Y. Avery.....	McKenney, R. F. D.
South Hill.....	Pleasant Grove.....	A. C. Ogburn.....	Union Level.
".....	Providence.....	B. J. Davis.....	Forksville.
".....	South Hill.....	H. P. Wall.....	South Hill.
".....	Trinity.....	J. E. Smith.....	Smith's Cross Roads.
Surry.....	Carsley.....	T. M. Cofer.....	Dendron.
".....	Dendron.....	P. I. Ledbetter.....	Dendron.
".....	Moorings.....	S. B. Barham, Jr.....	Runnymede.
".....	Spring Grove.....	J. F. Huber.....	Spring Grove.
Sussex.....	Bethel.....	E. S. Edwards.....	Stony Creek.
".....	Centenary.....	J. M. Browder.....	Jarratt.
".....	Concord.....	G. A. Rose.....	Stony Creek.
".....	Fort Grove.....	B. F. Mitchell.....	Stony Creek.
".....	Jones.....	J. M. Tyus.....	Stony Creek.
".....	Lebanon.....	J. T. Prince.....	Jarratt.
".....	Sharon.....	W. P. Mays.....	Yale.
Wakefield.....	Ivor.....	F. D. Taylor.....	Ivor.
".....	Rocky Hock.....	W. J. Pond.....	Wakefield.
".....	Wakefield.....	J. D. Owen.....	Wakefield.
Waverly.....	Oak Grove.....	R. H. Stephenson, Jr.....	Homeville.
".....	Waverly.....	I. H. Fleetwood.....	Waverly.

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West Brunswick...	Bethel.....	A. T. Abernathy.....	Alberta.
"	Lebanon.....	T. B. Reams.....	Rawlings.
"	Macedonia.....	T. G. Rawlings.....	Forkland.
"	Rocky Run.....	N. N. Daniel.....	Octagon.
West Chesterfield...	Bon Air.....	B. F. Ransone.....	Bon Air.
"	Mann's.....	G. W. Boyer.....	Richmond, R. F. D., 9.
"	Mt. Pisgah.....	H. W. Field.....	Midlothian.
"	Providence.....	A. E. Joffeux.....	Richmond, R. F. D., 8.
West Dinwiddie...	Corinth.....	J. H. Duane.....	Ford.
"	Ocran.....	G. R. Slate.....	Sutherland.
"	Trinity.....	S. H. Perkinson.....	Church Road.
"	White Oak.....	S. P. Sheffield.....	Wilson.

Portsmouth and Newport News District

Benn's.....	Benn's.....	J. M. Branch.....	Smithfield.
"	Oak Grove.....	W. M. Shepherd.....	Carrollton.
"	River View.....	A. J. W. Haynes.....	Rescue.
Boykin's.....	Boykin's.....	W. W. White.....	Boykin's.
"	Branchville.....	J. E. Harrison.....	Branchville.
"	Clarksbury.....	F. E. Pope.....	Drewryville.
"	Persons.....	J. D. Woodward.....	Branchville, R. F. D.
Capron.....	Applewhite's.....	E. W. Crichton.....	Capron.
"	Capron.....	W. H. Vincent.....	Capron.
"	Joyner.....	John B. Wade.....	Joyner.
"	Newsom's Grove.....	P. W. Hines.....	Grizzard.
"	Peet's.....	R. A. Pope.....	Drewryville.
"	Vincent's Grove.....	L. W. Magrath.....	Capron.
"	Whitehead's.....	P. E. White.....	Capron.
Churchland and West Norfolk.....	Churchland.....	W. R. Old.....	Portsmouth, R. F. D., 1
"	West Norfolk.....	G. L. Williams.....	West Norfolk.
Crittenden.....	Crittenden.....	W. A. Harrison.....	Crittenden.
Franklin.....	High Street.....	W. F. Story.....	Franklin.
Gilmerton Ct.....	Brighton.....	J. B. Barclay.....	Portsmouth, R. F. D., 2.
"	Deep Creek.....	James Edmonds.....	Portsmouth, R. F. D., 2.
"	Gilmerton.....	C. E. Leary.....	Gilmerton.
"	Grass Field.....	Mrs. T. B. Dosier.....	Portsmouth, R. F. D., 2.
"	Indiana.....	Winford Bass.....	Portsmouth, R. F. D., 2.
Isle of Wight.....	Bay View.....	W. E. Howell.....	Rushmere.
"	Bethany.....	J. A. Scott.....	Smithfield, R. F. D.
"	Bethel.....	W. R. Cox.....	Magnet.
"	Uzzell's.....	L. W. Hearn.....	Smithfield.
Newsom's.....	Barnes.....	T. H. Barrett.....	Newsom's.
"	Mt. Horeb.....	J. T. Bryant.....	Handsom.
"	New Hope.....	J. D. Riddick.....	Como, N. C.
"	Newsom's.....	J. E. Bryant.....	Newsom's.
Newport News:			
Chestnut Ave.....	Chestnut Avenue.....	J. E. Perkins.....	Newport News.
Grace.....	Grace.....	A. B. Coffman.....	Newport News.
"	Morrison.....	J. L. Davis.....	Newport News, R. F. D.
Trinity.....	Trinity.....	L. S. Edwards.....	Newport News.
Norfolk Ct.....	Beech Grove.....	V. G. Eberwine.....	Bennett's Creek.
"	Jolliff's.....	Jas. Higginbotham.....	Portsmouth, R. F. D., 2.
"	Magnolia.....	G. S. Philhower.....	Magnolia.
"	Olive Branch.....	W. T. Mears.....	Portsmouth.
Portsmouth:			
Broad Street.....	Broad Street.....	C. W. Steele.....	Portsmouth.
Central.....	Central.....	C. S. Morse.....	Portsmouth.
Cottage Place.....	Cottage Place.....	W. T. Burroughs.....	Portsmouth.
Elm Avenue.....	Elm Avenue.....	R. E. Gay.....	Portsmouth.
Monumental.....	Monumental.....	F. L. Crocker.....	Portsmouth.
Park View.....	Park View.....	C. W. Hudgins.....	Portsmouth.
Wright Memorial.....	Wright Memorial.....	H. G. Anderson.....	Portsmouth.
Smithfield.....	Smithfield.....	J. W. Holloway.....	Smithfield.
Southampton.....	Courtland.....	Jas. E. Sebrell.....	Courtland.
"	Grace Memorial.....	R. C. Williams.....	Courtland.
"	Nottoway.....	W. W. Moore.....	Courtland.
"	Sebrell.....	John I. Turner.....	Sebrell.
"	Trinity.....	Geo. B. Vick.....	Courtland.

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Suffolk:			
Main Street.....	Main Street.....	Dr. H. W. Campbell...	Suffolk.
Oxford.....	Oxford.....	J. C. West.....	Suffolk.
Whaleyville and Somerton...	Somerton.....	E. J. Langston.....	Whaleyville.
".....	Whaleyville.....	B. H. Doughty.....	Whaleyville.
Williamsburg.....	Williamsburg.....	H. L. Bridges.....	Williamsburg.
Windsor.....	Providence.....	W. T. Wright.....	Suffolk, R. F. D., 4.
".....	Wesley.....	Mrs. W. A. Willis.....	Chuckatuck.
".....	Windsor.....	F. T. Leathers.....	Windsor.
".....	Woodland.....	J. T. B. Pruden.....	Windsor, R. F. D., 2.

Rappahannock District

Bethany.....	Bethany.....	T. A. Jett.....	Reedville.
Colonial Beach and Grace.....	Colonial Beach....	H. W. B. Williams.....	Colonial Beach.
".....	Grace.....	Charles Hayes.....	Leedstown.
East Mathews.....	Beulah.....	G. E. Hunt.....	Port Haywood.
".....	St. Paul's.....	John W. Thomas.....	Susan.
East Middlesex.....	Clarksbury.....	George Bristow.....	Amburg.
".....	Lower Church.....	C. W. F. Erdman.....	Wake.
Essex.....	Hermon.....	P. C. Courtney.....	Dunbrook.
".....	Lebanon.....	Dr. F. W. Stiff.....	Center Cross.
".....	Trinity.....	C. L. Johnson.....	Miller's Tavern.
Gloucester.....	Bellamy's.....	H. A. Howard.....	Clay Bank.
".....	Cappahoosic.....	Frank Decker.....	Cappahoosic.
".....	Memorial.....	T. C. Horsley.....	Woods Cross Roads.
".....	Singleton's.....	S. J. Brown.....	Schley.
Gloucester Point....	Bethany.....	J. C. Lewis.....	Hayes Store.
".....	Bethlehem.....	S. L. Riley.....	Bena.
".....	Oak Grove.....	L. H. Proctor.....	Roane's.
Heathsville.....	Corinth.....	H. W. Gill.....	Avalon.
".....	Heathsville.....	Dr. J. A. Rice.....	Heathsville.
".....	Melrose.....	H. H. Travers.....	Cowart's.
".....	Potomac Chapel...	M. T. Garner.....	Lewisetta.
Henderson Station..	Henderson.....	W. H. Jones.....	Hyacinth.
Irvington and Kil- marnock.....	Irvington.....	B. L. Willing.....	Irvington.
".....	Kilmarnock.....	T. S. Brent.....	Kilmarnock.
King George.....	Fletcher's.....	F. G. Henderson.....	Passapatanzy.
".....	Providence.....	B. F. Loeffler.....	Amber.
".....	Trinity.....	R. W. Boggs.....	King George.
".....	Union.....	Calvin J. Morris.....	Rawlings Fork.
King and Queen.....	Mizpah.....	J. D. Mitchell.....	Walkerton.
".....	Pace's.....	J. F. Gresham.....	King and Queen.
".....	Providence.....	W. P. DeShazo.....	Daisy.
".....	Shepherd's.....	C. A. Rowe.....	Edna.
Lancaster.....	Bluff Point.....	J. P. Dize.....	Kilmarnock.
".....	Edgeley.....	V. C. McKenney.....	Lancaster.
".....	Mila.....	S. S. Russell.....	Mila.
".....	Rehoboth.....	W. R. Johnson.....	Rehoboth Church.
".....	White Marsh.....	J. C. McKenney.....	Brookvale.
Mathews.....	Asbury.....	F. P. Callis.....	Fitchetts.
".....	Bethel.....	O. R. Hudgins.....	Sarah.
".....	Central.....	J. R. Forrest.....	Mathews.
".....	Salem.....	J. E. Callis.....	Tabernacle.
".....	St. Andrew's.....	W. F. Hudgins.....	Perry.
Middlesex.....	Centenary.....	J. W. Harwood.....	Saluda.
".....	Forest Chapel.....	John Blackey.....	Warner.
".....	New Hope.....	M. L. Revere.....	Shackelfords.
".....	Old Church.....	Dunbar Spencer.....	Shanghai.
Montross.....	Andrew Chapel.....	E. C. Harrington.....	Montross.
".....	Grant's.....	Richard Belfield.....	Lerty.
".....	Lebanon.....	Edward Omohundro..	Farmers' Fork.
".....	Providence.....	Austin Doleman.....	Chiltons.
New Kent.....	New Kent Chapel..	O. M. Chandler.....	New Kent.
".....	Pamunkey.....	J. D. Austin.....	Oak.
".....	Prospect.....	J. A. Burnette.....	Highland Springs.
".....	Providence.....	W. T. Ellison.....	Quinton.

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Richmond Ct.....	Calvary.....	R. H. Forrester.....	Emmertton.
".....	Hopewell.....	A. C. Thomas.....	Rainswood.
".....	Oakland.....	C. W. Beauchamp.....	Rainswood.
".....	Warsaw.....	W. W. Lowry.....	Warsaw.
Shackelford's.....	Olive Branch.....	Ethelbert Wilson.....	Harcum.
".....	Salem.....	R. L. Stubblefield.....	Cash.
".....	Shackelford's.....	G. Post.....	Gressetts.
".....	St. Andrew's.....	J. H. South.....	Glenns.
Toano.....	Mt. Vernon.....	C. P. Marston.....	Toano.
".....	Tabernacle.....	J. A. Potts.....	Barhamsville.
Urbanna.....	Bethel.....	Fleet Lawson.....	Butylo.
".....	Urbanna.....	S. H. Anderson.....	Remleck.
West Lancaster.....	Bethel.....	L. T. Rock.....	Litwalton.
".....	Emmanuel.....	A. C. Potter.....	Morattico.
West Mathews.....	Concord.....	Eric Edwards.....	Foster.
".....	Emmanuel.....	Chas. Ranies.....	Bohannon.
".....	Grace.....	O. A. White.....	Bohannon.
".....	Guynn's Island.....	E. D. Rawlings.....	Guynns.
".....	Locust Grove.....	E. C. Sutton.....	Sales.
".....	Mathews Chapel.....	N. A. Lewis.....	Cobbs Creek.
".....	Providence.....	C. A. Brown.....	North.
Westmoreland.....	Carmel.....	R. H. Beal.....	Hague.
".....	Cole's Point.....	J. N. Branson.....	Meter.
".....	Ebenezer.....	J. N. Wright.....	Oldhams.
".....	Edgewater.....	W. C. Davis.....	Cole's Point.
".....	Kinsale.....	D. W. Allen.....	Kinsale.
".....	Tucker's Hill.....	W. W. Bailey.....	Kinsale.
West Point.....	West Point.....	A. J. Aumack.....	West Point.
Whitestone.....	Asbury.....	W. G. Foxwell.....	Fishermans.
".....	Poplar Neck.....	Ocran Humphreys.....	Ocran.
".....	Wesley.....	J. P. French.....	Kilmarnock.
".....	Whitestone.....	G. M. Saunders.....	Whitestone.

Richmond District

Ashland.....	Ashland.....	Dr. F. L. Day.....	Ashland.
".....	Kenwood.....	G. I. Banker.....	Ashland.
Ashland Ct.....	Bethel.....	T. H. Johnson.....	Ashland, R. F. D.
".....	Dunn's Chapel.....	H. C. Bowe.....	Gouldin.
".....	Forest Grove.....	Calvin Leitz.....	Ashland, R. F. D., 3.
".....	Mt. Hermon.....	J. L. Goddin.....	Ashland, R. F. D., 2.
".....	St. Peter's.....	E. H. Tillar.....	Auburn Mills.
Bowling Green.....	Bowling Green.....	Rev. G. Burruss.....	Bowling Green.
".....	Eagle's Nest.....	Eugene Farmer, Jr.....	Passing.
".....	Hopewell.....	G. W. Binns.....	Guinea.
".....	Shiloh.....	F. M. Head.....	Bagby.
Caroline.....	Mt. Vernon.....	R. A. Thomas.....	Point Eastern.
".....	Rehoboth.....	J. W. Hancock.....	Chilesburg.
".....	Ruther Glen.....	E. G. Donahoe.....	Ruther Glen.
".....	St. Paul's.....	A. C. Carneal.....	Penola.
".....	Wright's Chapel.....	R. H. Henderson.....	Knopf.
Charles City.....	Charles City		
".....	Chapel.....	Mrs. J. H. Binns.....	Holdcroft.
".....	Micah.....	W. V. Blanks.....	Holdcroft.
".....	Mt. Pleasant.....	L. M. Nance.....	Roxbury, R. F. D.
".....	Salem.....	W. S. Barnett.....	Barnett.
Goochland.....	Shady Grove.....	F. A. Walton.....	Glen Allen.
".....	St. Matthew's.....	C. S. Nuckols.....	Rio Vista.
Hanover.....	Enon.....	J. W. Thomas.....	Atlee.
".....	Greenwood.....	E. T. Long.....	Richmond.
".....	Lebanon.....	H. H. Wingfield.....	Ashland, R. F. D., 2.
".....	Shady Grove.....	J. S. Sledd.....	Ellison.
Henrico.....	Beulah.....	B. F. Beadles.....	Richmond, R. F. D., 6.
".....	Laurel Hill.....	R. H. Nelson, Jr.....	Richmond, R. F. D., 5.
".....	Willis.....	E. L. Hare.....	Elko.
King William.....	Acquinton.....	B. F. Garber.....	Palls.
".....	Bethel.....	W. M. Peatross.....	Hanover.
".....	Epworth.....	R. L. Mitchell.....	Epworth.
".....	McKendree.....	T. F. Cocke.....	Enfield.

CHARGE	SCHOOL	SUPERINTENDENT	POST OFFICE (Virginia, unless otherwise stated.)
Richmond:			
Asbury and Oak-	Asbury.....	M. T. Gary.....	Richmond.
land.....	Oakland.....	J. H. Rose.....	South Richmond.
"	Barton Heights...	J. E. Harding.....	Barton Ave., Richmond.
Barton Heights...	Branch Memorial..	J. D. Langham.....	Richmond.
Branch Memorial..	Broad Street.....	W. T. Smithdeal.....	Richmond.
Broad Street.....	Centenary.....	A. L. Adamson.....	Richmond.
Centenary.....	Central.....	M. A. Campbell.....	South Richmond.
Central.....	Clay Street.....	Asa Johnson.....	Richmond.
Clay Street.....	Decatur Street...	J. P. Jones.....	Richmond.
Decatur Street...	Denny Street.....	W. L. Smith.....	Richmond.
Denny Street.....	Epworth.....	S. R. McNickle.....	Richmond.
Epworth.....	Fairmount Ave....	T. J. Teagle.....	Richmond.
Fairmount Ave....	Fulton Hill.....	H. W. Bates.....	Richmond, (Carrier 38)
Fulton Hill.....	Grace.....	S. E. Bishop.....	Richmond.
Grace.....	Highland Park...	A. S. Robertson.....	Highland Park, Richmond.
Highland Park...	Highland Springs..	J. J. Fry.....	Highland Springs.
Highland Springs..	Corinth.....	G. W. Applewhite.....	Richmond, R. F. D., 3.
"	Laurel Street.....	R. L. Bailey.....	Richmond.
Laurel Street.....	Monument.....	G. Edmund Massie.....	Richmond.
Monument.....	Park Place.....	G. M. King.....	Richmond.
Park Place.....	St. James.....	J. H. Redd.....	Richmond.
St. James.....	St. Paul's.....	W. H. Coghill.....	Richmond.
St. Paul's.....	Trinity.....	E. H. Bell.....	Richmond.
Trinity.....	Union Station....	W. J. Hechler.....	Richmond.
Union Station....	West End.....	M. L. Bookman.....	South Richmond.
West End.....	Woodland Heights.	R. M. Holloway.....	South Richmond.
Woodland Heights.	Beech Grove.....	J. E. Dunnavant.....	Dunnavant.
Spottsylvania.....	Corinth.....	A. T. Tompkins.....	Post Oak.
"	Grace.....	C. W. Barnes.....	Mine Run.
"	Olivet.....	Y. B. Falconer.....	Granite Springs.
"	St. John's.....	H. H. Keller.....	Screamerville, R. F. D., 1.
"	Tabernacle.....	W. W. Scales.....	Screamerville.
"	Zion.....	C. K. Andrews.....	Spottsylvania.

DECEASED MINISTERS

OF THE

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The righteous shall be in everlasting remembrance.—Ps. 112:6.

No.	NAME	Date of Death	No.	NAME	Date of Death
1	Richard Owings.....	1786	61	Benjamin B. Miles.....	1843
2	Elijah Ellis.....	1788	62	William T. Norfolk.....	Jan. 1, 1845
3	John Turnbull.....	1790	63	Joshua Leigh.....	Dec. 24, 1845
4	John Sproul.....	1793	64	Joseph A. Brown.....	Feb. 20, 1846
5	John Wynn.....	1794	65	Isaac A. Willis.....	April 30, 1846
6	John Ahare.....	1795	66	William L. Blanton.....	Aug. 5, 1846
7	Stephen Davis.....	1795	67	Gervase M. Keesee.....	Nov. 14, 1847
8	Richard Ivey.....	1796	68	John C. Ballew.....	Jan. 15, 1848
9	William Wilkinson.....	1799	69	William E. Lee.....	Feb. 1848
10	William Earley.....	1799	70	Joseph L. Knight.....	Feb. 12, 1848
11	James Tolleson.....	1800	71	Abram Penn.....	1849
12	Salathiel Weeks.....	1800	72	Joseph Pinnell.....	Jan. 18, 1849
13	William Ormond.....	1803	73	Edward C. Murrill.....	Feb. 18, 1850
14	Nathan Jarrett.....	1803	74	John W. Childs.....	May 9, 1850
15	Edmond Henley.....	1809	75	George A. Bain.....	May 27, 1850
16	Nathan Weeden.....	1811	76	Wesley H. Rohr.....	Oct. 23, 1850
17	Isaac Brown.....	1812	77	David Wood.....	Mar. 27, 1851
18	Leroy Merritt.....	1813	78	James P. Owen.....	Mar. 13, 1852
19	Ewen Johnson.....	1816	79	Martin A. Dunn.....	Oct. 20, 1852
20	Samuel Waggener.....	1816	80	Thomas Crowder.....	Dec. 1852
21	Peter Wyatt.....	1816	81	George W. Andrews.....	June 11, 1854
22	Fletcher Harris.....	1818	82	Ballard E. Gibson.....	Feb. 7, 1855
23	John T. Brame.....	1819	83	Anthony Dibrell.....	Sept. 1, 1855
24	George Burnett.....	1819	84	Vernon Eskridge.....	Sept. 11, 1855
25	Archibald Robertson.....	1820	85	Stephen W. Jones.....	Sept. 1855
26	Peyton Anderson.....	1823	86	Samuel S. Eskridge.....	Oct. 11, 1855
27	Enoch Johnson.....	1823	87	Francis S. Mitchell.....	Jan. 1, 1856
28	James Avis.....	1824	88	Lewis Skidmore.....	Oct. 1, 1857
29	Samuel Cushen.....	1824	89	John W. Williams.....	Mar. 4, 1857
30	Samuel Hunter.....	1825	90	Thomas C. Hayes.....	Sept. 26, 1858
31	Christopher S. Mooring..	1825	91	William Reed.....	Feb. 23, 1859
32	Philip Bruce.....	1826	92	William G. Dulin.....	Jan. 17, 1860
33	Thomas Howard.....	1827	93	Thomas H. Jones.....	Sept. 12, 1860
34	Samuel Garrard.....	1828	94	Henry W. Bellman.....	1860
35	Henry Holmes.....	1829	95	J. H. Watson.....	1860
36	Christopher Thomas.....	1829	96	William P. Twyman.....	Oct. 25, 1860
37	John Pannabaker.....	1829	97	Joseph W. Payne.....	Feb. 24, 1861
38	W. H. Abington.....	1829	98	William M. Ward.....	June 7, 1861
39	Thomas Mann.....	1830	99	Robert T. Nixon.....	Jan. 1861
40	Wm. S. Peyton.....	1830	100	John S. Reese.....	Jan. 17, 1862
41	Melville B. Cox.....	1833	101	Henry S. Atmore.....	Jan. 1862
42	Edward Cannon.....	1833	102	Samuel Robertson.....	May 29, 1862
43	William McClunn.....	1833	103	Frank Stanley.....	Oct. 1862
44	George M. Anderson.....	1833	104	George W. Charlton.....	Feb. 1863
45	Stephen D. Winburn.....	1833	105	Thomas Y. Cash.....	Feb. 11, 1865
46	John J. Carter.....	1833	106	John Kerr.....	Mar. 31, 1865
47	Wilson Barclift.....	1833	107	G. W. S. Harper.....	June 1865
48	Stith Mead.....	1834	108	William C. Blount.....	Jan. 17, 1866
49	Jonathan Williams.....	1834	109	William L. Dalby.....	Feb. 7, 1866
50	Rowland G. Bass.....	1838	110	B. B. Shelton.....	April 6, 1866
51	Robert C. Jones.....	1838	111	Allen R. Bernard.....	June 16, 1866
52	George Mahood.....	1839	112	Robert Scott.....	July 6, 1866
53	Simeon Norman.....	1839	113	John W. Wonnycott.....	July 15, 1866
54	Henning W. Kelly.....	1839	114	Andrew J. Beckwith.....	Nov. 27, 1866
55	John Lattimore.....	1840	115	James D. Coulling.....	Nov. 28, 1866
56	Daniel Hall.....	1841	116	William H. Starr.....	Feb. 14, 1867
57	Caleb Leach.....	1842	117	Thomas A. Pierce.....	Feb. 26, 1867
58	George W. Blain.....	1843	118	John H. Payne.....	Aug. 27, 1867
59	George W. Kelsoe.....	1843	119	James E. Joyner.....	Mar. 15, 1868
60	Charles P. Norman.....	1843	120	George M. Robertson....	July 3, 1868

No.	NAME	Date of Death	No.	NAME	Date of Death
121	Aurelius W. Holt	Dec. 2, 1868	194	William McGee	April 2, 1891
122	J. K. Powers	Mar. 1, 1869	195	John G. Rowe	April 16, 1891
123	Minton Thrift	Mar. 26, 1869	196	John M. Saunders	June 22, 1891
124	Joseph Spriggs	Jan. 17, 1870	197	Thomas H. Boggs	Dec. 3, 1891
125	Isaac M. Arnold	June 13, 1870	198	Leonidas Rosser	Jan. 25, 1892
126	William I. Hunter	Sept. 10, 1870	199	Jacob Shough	Feb. 1, 1892
127	D. J. C. Slaughter	Nov. 6, 1870	200	James F. Twitty	July 12, 1892
128	T. C. Jennings	Jan. 30, 1871	201	John W. Tucker	Sept. 21, 1892
129	Humphrey Billups	May 20, 1871	202	Peter A. Peterson	Oct. 6, 1893
130	Alexander Stewart	Mar. 14, 1872	203	John D. Southall	Nov. 28, 1893
131	William H. Jerdone	June 1872	204	Francis J. Boggs	Jan. 3, 1894
132	B. H. Johnson	July 8, 1872	205	John B. Laurens	May 17, 1894
133	C. H. Hall	Aug. 22, 1872	206	James H. Pike	Aug. 10, 1894
134	R. J. Carson	1873	207	Thomas M. Beckham	Nov. 11, 1894
135	M. M. Dance	Mar. 8, 1873	208	Davis P. Wills	Mar. 20, 1895
136	G. N. Guy	April 6, 1873	209	Edward P. Wilson	June 13, 1895
137	Jeremiah McMullan	Aug. 19, 1873	210	John W. Hildrup	June 28, 1895
138	H. B. Cowles	Nov. 28, 1874	211	Samuel W. Eason	July 30, 1895
139	L. J. Hansberger	Dec. 6, 1874	212	William E. Payne	July 30, 1895
140	Joseph Carson	April 15, 1875	213	James C. Martin	Sept. 16, 1895
141	W. E. Mitchell	Sept. 21, 1875	214	Wilbur F. Robins	Oct. 15, 1895
142	G. W. Langhorne	Feb. 3, 1876	215	William H. Christian	Feb. 12, 1896
143	Benjamin Devany	May 16, 1876	216	Esmond A. Gibbs	Mar. 25, 1896
144	Alexander Doniphan	Feb. 22, 1877	217	John A. Smith	May 4, 1896
145	D. F. Hodges	May 2, 1877	218	Adam C. Bledsoe	Sept. 4, 1896
146	J. A. Duncan	Sept. 24, 1877	219	Jacob H. Proctor	Mar. 21, 1897
147	Lloyd Moore	Dec. 25, 1877	220	Edward M. Peterson	April 3, 1897
148	J. W. White	Mar. 12, 1879	221	Charles T. Gibbs	May 30, 1897
149	J. H. Davis	May 8, 1879	222	Hezekiah P. Mitchell	May 31, 1897
150	John Bayley	Feb. 25, 1880	223	Thomas P. Wise	June 11, 1897
151	James Jamieson	June 25, 1880	224	Lemuel S. Reed	Dec. 18, 1897
152	William J. Norfleet	Jan. 14, 1881	225	Jacob Manning	Feb. 15, 1898
153	B. T. Ames	Sept. 27, 1881	226	Geo. C. Vanderslice	Mar. 18, 1898
154	L. M. Lee	April 20, 1882	227	David M. Wallace	April 8, 1898
155	Thomas Diggs	April 30, 1882	228	Joseph J. Edwards	April 20, 1898
156	J. L. Fisher	Sept. 15, 1882	229	James L. Spencer	April 20, 1898
157	B. C. Spiller	April 5, 1883	230	William R. Smithey	Jan. 17, 1899
158	Robert Michaels	July 19, 1883	231	George E. Booker, Sr.	Feb. 13, 1899
159	G. W. Nolley	Dec. 8, 1883	232	William A. Robinson	Feb. 17, 1899
160	William Carter	May 4, 1884	233	Dexter W. Reed	Mar. 2, 1899
161	G. M. Wright	July 23, 1885	234	John K. Clayton	April 7, 1899
162	J. N. Jones	July 29, 1885	235	Robert N. Sledd	May 15, 1899
163	H. H. Gary	Sept. 3, 1885	236	John McClelland	July 13, 1899
164	J. C. Garlick	June 17, 1886	237	James A. Riddick	Sept. 8, 1899
165	F. A. Davis	June 18, 1886	238	Alexander G. Brown	Mar. 16, 1900
166	B. F. Tenneille	Aug. 20, 1886	239	Robert M. Saunders	June 21, 1900
167	B. M. Williams	Nov. 28, 1886	240	Robert H. Mullen	June 29, 1900
168	E. H. Pritchett	Dec. 8, 1886	241	James R. Waggoner	Dec. 30, 1900
169	J. D. Lumsden	Jan. 20, 1887	242	Joseph H. Riddick	April 30, 1901
170	T. H. White	Jan. 20, 1887	243	William A. Crocker	June 27, 1901
171	J. W. Howard	Mar. 12, 1887	244	Robert H. McAden	July 15, 1901
172	R. A. Gregory	May 17, 1887	245	R. Fletcher Beadles	Aug. 18, 1901
173	W. W. Bennett	June 7, 1887	246	John L. Clarke	Oct. 8, 1901
174	J. D. Blackwell	June 26, 1887	247	Robert E. Barrett	Dec. 6, 1901
175	T. A. Ware	July 18, 1887	248	William F. Bain	Jan. 17, 1902
176	E. N. S. Blogg	Aug. 20, 1887	249	Fred. W. Proctor	Feb. 26, 1902
177	P. F. August	Sept. 30, 1887	250	Henry C. Cheatham	May 2, 1902
178	Samuel T. Moorman	Dec. 18, 1887	251	Herbert T. Bacon	Jan. 27, 1903
179	William B. Rowzie	June 3, 1888	252	John B. Dey	Feb. 17, 1903
180	Joseph Lear	April 9, 1889	253	William E. Edwards	Mar. 5, 1903
181	James McAden	May 30, 1889	254	James E. Gates	May 4, 1903
182	John H. Patteson	June 9, 1889	255	John T. Moore	Sept. 5, 1903
183	James W. Blincoe	Sept. 15, 1889	256	Nicholas H. Robertson	Dec. 6, 1903
184	William G. Williams	Oct. 29, 1889	257	Thomas H. Early	Mar. 20, 1904
185	Joseph S. R. Clarke	Dec. 25, 1889	258	J. Carson Watson	June 30, 1904
186	Benj. F. Woodward	Jan. 12, 1890	259	Robert H. Younger	July 3, 1904
187	Thos. L. Williams	Feb. 3, 1890	260	Major S. Colonna	Aug. 18, 1904
188	Alfred Wiles	Feb. 19, 1890	261	Robert E. Bentley	May 12, 1905
189	James H. Crown	April 20, 1890	262	J. Powell Garland	Jan. 13, 1906
190	James H. Dalby	Dec. 27, 1890	263	James M. Anderson	Feb. 4, 1906
191	Robert A. Armistead	Mar. 6, 1891	264	Thomas S. Leitch	Feb. 6, 1906
192	James W. Compton	Mar. 20, 1891	265	John W. Crider	Mar. 1, 1906
193	John E. Edwards	Mar. 31, 1891	266	Robert A. Compton	April 26, 1906

No.	NAME	Date of Death	No.	NAME	Date of Death
267	Thomas J. Wray.....	May 15, 1906	299	Wm. P. Wright.....	Sept. 2, 1911
268	Thomas H. Campbell...	July 14, 1906	300	Wilbur F. Davis.....	Feb. 18, 1912
269	Benjamin C. Beahm.....	July 28, 1906	301	Chas. H. Galloway.....	Mar. 28, 1912
270	Wm. E. Bullard.....	Dec. 27, 1906	302	A. Clarke Bledsoe.....	May 9, 1912
271	Paul Whitehead.....	April 3, 1907	303	Jas. F. Brannin.....	Sept. 17, 1912
272	James W. Baker.....	April 15, 1907	304	Joseph E. Potts.....	April 26, 1913
273	Paul Bradley.....	July 30, 1907	305	Columbus S. Wamsley...	Aug. 24, 1913
274	Robert B. Beadles.....	Aug. 22, 1907	306	Wm. E. Edwards, Jr.....	Dec. 1, 1913
275	Richard T. Wilson.....	Aug. 28, 1907	307	Richard D. Smart.....	Jan. 4, 1914
276	Joseph R. Griffith.....	Jan. 26, 1908	308	Edward M. Jordan.....	Feb. 25, 1914
277	Wm. E. Allen.....	Mar. 13, 1908	309	Chas. E. Hobday.....	April 17, 1914
278	Benj. F. Smith.....	Mar. 17, 1908	310	Leroy W. Guyer.....	May 16, 1914
279	Daniel B. Austin.....	Oct. 30, 1908	311	Richard G. James.....	Aug. 3, 1914
280	Jno. W. Nicholson.....	Feb. 4, 1909	312	Mumford S. Elliott.....	Nov. 26, 1914
281	Junius B. DeBerry.....	Mar. 1, 1909	313	George E. B. Smith.....	Feb. 24, 1915
282	Emmett E. Harrell.....	July 15, 1909	314	Joseph G. Lennon.....	Mar. 2, 1915
283	John J. Lafferty.....	July 23, 1909	315	Milton L. Williams.....	Mar. 28, 1915
284	Jos. W. Shackford.....	Sept. 11, 1909	316	Joseph B. Merritt.....	June 11, 1915
285	Wesley C. Vaden.....	Oct. 24, 1909	317	John H. Kabler.....	July 13, 1915
286	Josiah D. Hank.....	Nov. 9, 1909	318	Thomas J. Bayton.....	Nov. 19, 1915
287	H. F. B. Martin.....	Dec. 28, 1909	319	Robert N. Crooks.....	Feb. 26, 1916
288	B. E. Ledbetter.....	Jan. 19, 1910	320	Travis J. Taylor.....	June 28, 1916
289	Robert W. Watts.....	May 1, 1910	321	William G. Starr.....	July 1, 1916
290	Albert A. Jones.....	May 29, 1910	322	Joseph H. Amiss.....	Aug. 30, 1916
291	Oscar Littleton.....	July 31, 1910	323	Robert B. Blankinship..	Oct. 30, 1916
292	Joseph A. Proctor.....	Nov. 7, 1910	324	William V. Tudor.....	Jan. 5, 1917
293	Alex. M. Hall.....	Nov. 25, 1910	325	William H. Camper.....	Jan. 29, 1917
294	Francis M. Edwards.....	Nov. 30, 1910	326	William R. Crowder.....	Jan. 30, 1917
295	Marshall A. Davidson...	Jan. 17, 1911	327	Samuel R. Drewry.....	Feb. 17, 1917
296	Chas. D. Crawley.....	Jan. 30, 1911	328	John Q. Rhodes.....	Mar. 25, 1917
297	James D. Forkner.....	Feb. 25, 1911	329	Lewis B. Betty.....	July 5, 1917
298	George H. Ray.....	Mar. 18, 1911	330	Bascom Dey.....	Oct. 26, 1917

SESSIONS OF THE VIRGINIA ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

(NOTE.—Six Conferences were held in Virginia before the Methodist Episcopal Church in the United States was organized, and five of them were held within the territory of the Virginia Annual Conference. But they were not, strictly speaking, Virginia Annual Conferences. Hence these Conferences do not appear among the sessions enumerated below. The Annual Conferences proper number their sessions, respectively, from their first meeting after the organization of the Methodist Episcopal Church as an independent ecclesiastical body, December, 1784. In conformity with this rule, the sessions of the Virginia Annual Conference are numbered from the meeting held at Mason's, Brunswick County, Virginia, May, 1785. Since then sessions thereof have been held in regular succession year after year, within the geographical limits assigned it by the General Conference of 1796, except as to the years 1791 and 1841, when changes in the time of the year of the meeting of the Conference made it necessary to hold two sessions in each of these calendar years, making one hundred and five sessions in one hundred and three years.)

No.	PLACE OF SESSION	Date	President	Secretary
1	Mason's, Brunswick Co.	May, 1785	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
2	Lane's Chapel, Sussex Co.	April, 1786	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
3	Rough Creek, Charlotte Co.	April, 1787	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
4	Petersburg.....	June, 1788	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
5	Petersburg.....	June, 1789	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
6	Lane's Chapel, Sussex Co.	June, 1790	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
7	Petersburg.....	April, 1791	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
8	Lane's Chapel, Sussex Co.	Dec. 1791	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
9	Manchester.....	Nov. 1792	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
10	Petersburg.....	Nov. 1793	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
11	Mabery's, Greenesville Co.	Nov. 1794	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
12	Salem, Mecklenburg Co.	Nov. 1795	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
13	Mabery's, Greenesville Co.	Nov. 1796	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
14	Lane's Chapel, Sussex Co.	Nov. 1797	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
15	Salem, Mecklenburg Co.	April, 1798	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
16	Jones' Chapel, Sussex Co.	April, 1799	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
17	Blount's Chapel, Isle of Wight Co.	April, 1800	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
18	Dromgoole's, Brunswick Co.	April, 1801	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
19	Salem, Mecklenburg Co.	March, 1802	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown.
20	Olive Branch, Brunswick Co.	March, 1803	Bishop Asbury.....	Alex. McCaine.
21	Salem, Mecklenburg Co.	April, 1804	Bishop Asbury.....	Alex. McCaine.
22	Taylor's, Caswell Co., N. C.	March, 1805	Bishop Asbury.....	Alex. McCaine.
23	Norfolk.....	Feb. 1806	Bishop Asbury.....	T. L. Douglas.
24	Newbern, N. C.	Feb. 1807	Bishop Asbury.....	T. L. Douglas.
25	Lynchburg.....	Feb. 1808	Bishop Asbury.....	T. L. Douglas.
26	Tarboro, N. C.	Feb. 1809	Bishop Asbury.....	T. L. Douglas.
27	Petersburg.....	Feb. 1810	Bishop McKendree.....	T. L. Douglas.
28	Raleigh, N. C.	Feb. 1811	Bishop McKendree.....	T. L. Douglas.
29	Richmond.....	Feb. 1812	Bishop McKendree.....	T. L. Douglas.
30	Newbern, N. C.	Feb. 1813	Bishop McKendree.....	T. L. Douglas.
31	Norfolk.....	Feb. 1814	Bishop McKendree.....	T. L. Douglas.
32	Lynchburg.....	Feb. 1815	Bishop McKendree.....	John Early.
33	Raleigh, N. C.	Jan. 1816	Bishop McKendree.....	M. M. Dance.
34	Petersburg.....	Feb. 1817	Bishop McKendree.....	M. M. Dance.
35	Norfolk.....	Feb. 1818	Bishop Roberts.....	M. M. Dance.
36	Oxford, N. C.	Feb. 1819	Bishop Roberts.....	M. M. Dance.
37	Richmond.....	Feb. 1820	Bishop George.....	M. M. Dance.
38	Raleigh, N. C.	Feb. 1821	Bishop George.....	M. M. Dance.
39	Newbern, N. C.	March, 1822	Bishop George.....	John Early.
40	Lynchburg.....	March, 1823	Bishop George.....	John Early.
41	Petersburg.....	March, 1824	Bishop George.....	John Early.
42	Oxford, N. C.	Feb. 1825	Bishop Soule.....	John Early.
43	Portsmouth.....	Feb. 1826	Bishop Soule.....	John Early.
44	Petersburg.....	Feb. 1827	Bishop Roberts.....	John Early.
45	Raleigh, N. C.	Feb. 1828	Bishop Soule.....	John Early.
46	Lynchburg.....	Feb. 1829	Bishop Roberts.....	John Early.
47	Richmond.....	Feb. 1830	Bishop Soule.....	John Early.
48	Newbern, N. C.	Feb. 1831	Rev. John Early.....	Wm. A. Smith.
49	Norfolk.....	Feb. 1832	Bishop Hedding.....	John Early.
50	Petersburg.....	Feb. 1833	Bishop Hedding.....	John Early.
51	Raleigh, N. C.	Feb. 1834	Bishop Andrew.....	John Early.
52	Lynchburg.....	Feb. 1835	Bishop Emory.....	John Early.
53	* Norfolk.....	Jan. 1836	Bishop Hedding.....	John Early.
54	Petersburg.....	Jan. 1837	Bishop Waugh.....	John Early.
55	Richmond.....	Jan. 1838	Bishop Morris.....	John Early.
56	Edenton, N. C.	Jan. 1839	Bishop Andrew.....	John Early.
57	Farmville.....	Jan. 1840	Bishop Waugh.....	John Early.
58	Lynchburg.....	Jan. 1841	Bishop Morris.....	John Early.

* This year the North Carolina Conference was formed.

No.	PLACE OF SESSION	Date	President	Secretary
59	Portsmouth.....	Nov. 1841	Rev. John Early.....	Jas. A. Riddick.
60	Petersburg.....	Nov. 1842	Bishop Waugh.....	John Early.
61	Richmond.....	Nov. 1843	Bishop Morris.....	John Early.
62	Lynchburg.....	Nov. 1844	Bishop Soule.....	John Early.
63	Norfolk.....	Nov. 1845	Bishop Andrew.....	Wm. A. Smith.
64	Randolph-Macon College.....	Nov. 1846	Bishop Capers.....	John Early.
65	Charlottesville.....	Nov. 1847	Bishop Andrew.....	John Early.
66	Elizabeth City, N. C.....	Nov. 1848	Bishop Capers.....	John Early.
67	Petersburg.....	Nov. 1849	Bishop Andrew.....	John Early.
68	Richmond.....	Nov. 1850	Bishop Paine.....	J. D. Coulling.
69	Alexandria.....	Nov. 1851	Bishop Andrew.....	J. D. Coulling.
70	Fredericksburg.....	Oct. 1852	Bishop Capers.....	J. D. Coulling.
71	Lynchburg.....	Oct. 1853	Bishop Paine.....	J. D. Coulling.
72	Norfolk.....	Nov. 1854	Bishop Pierce.....	J. D. Coulling.
73	Petersburg.....	Nov. 1855	Bishop Andrew.....	J. D. Coulling.
74	Richmond.....	Nov. 1856	Bishop Early.....	J. D. Coulling.
75	Elizabeth City, N. C.....	Nov. 1857	Bishop Pierce.....	J. D. Coulling.
76	Portsmouth.....	Nov. 1858	Bishop Kavanaugh.....	J. D. Coulling.
77	Lynchburg.....	Nov. 1859	Bishop Early.....	J. D. Coulling.
78	Alexandria.....	Nov. 1860	Bishop Paine.....	Paul Whitehead.
79	Norfolk.....	Nov. 1861	Bishop Andrew.....	Paul Whitehead.
80	Petersburg.....	Nov. 1862	Bishop Early.....	Paul Whitehead.
81	Richmond.....	Nov. 1863	Bishop Pierce.....	Paul Whitehead.
82	Lynchburg.....	Nov. 1864	Rev. Wm. A. Smith.....	Paul Whitehead.
83	Danville.....	Nov. 1865	Bishop Early.....	Paul Whitehead.
84	Norfolk.....	Nov. 1866	Bishop Pierce.....	Paul Whitehead.
85	Petersburg.....	Nov. 1867	Bishop Doggett.....	Paul Whitehead.
86	Charlottesville.....	Nov. 1868	Bishop Wightman.....	Paul Whitehead.
87	Richmond.....	Nov. 1869	Bishop Doggett.....	Paul Whitehead.
88	Lynchburg.....	Nov. 1870	Bishop Pierce.....	Paul Whitehead.
89	Portsmouth.....	Nov. 1871	Bishop Paine.....	Paul Whitehead.
90	Petersburg.....	Nov. 1872	Bishop Paine.....	Paul Whitehead.
91	Norfolk.....	Nov. 1873	Bishop Keener.....	Paul Whitehead.
92	Elizabeth City, N. C.....	Nov. 1874	Bishop Marvin.....	Paul Whitehead.
93	Danville.....	Nov. 1875	Bishop McTyiere.....	Paul Whitehead.
94	Richmond.....	Nov. 1876	Bishop Kavanaugh.....	Paul Whitehead.
95	Lynchburg.....	Nov. 1877	Bishop Doggett.....	Paul Whitehead.
96	Petersburg.....	Nov. 1878	Bishop Pierce.....	Paul Whitehead.
97	Norfolk.....	Nov. 1879	Bishop Wightman.....	Paul Whitehead.
98	Danville.....	Nov. 1880	Bishop Keener.....	Paul Whitehead.
99	Charlottesville.....	Nov. 1881	Bishop McTyere.....	Paul Whitehead.
100	Portsmouth.....	Nov. 1882	Bishop Pierce.....	Paul Whitehead.
101	Richmond.....	Nov. 1883	Bishop Kavanaugh.....	Paul Whitehead.
102	Lynchburg.....	Nov. 1884	Bishop Keener.....	Paul Whitehead.
103	Petersburg.....	Nov. 1885	Bishop Keener.....	Paul Whitehead.
104	Norfolk.....	Nov. 1886	Bishop Granbery.....	Paul Whitehead.
105	Danville.....	Nov. 1887	Bishop Key.....	Paul Whitehead.
106	Portsmouth.....	Nov. 1888	Bishop Granbery.....	Paul Whitehead.
107	Richmond.....	Nov. 1889	Bishop Wilson.....	Paul Whitehead.
108	Lynchburg.....	Nov. 1890	Bishop Hargrove.....	Paul Whitehead.
109	Petersburg.....	Nov. 1891	Bishop Keener.....	Paul Whitehead.
110	Norfolk.....	Nov. 1892	Bishop Hendrix.....	Paul Whitehead.
111	Danville.....	Nov. 1893	Bishop Granbery.....	Paul Whitehead.
112	Charlottesville.....	Nov. 1894	Bishop Haygood.....	Paul Whitehead.
113	Richmond.....	Nov. 1895	Bishop Galloway.....	Paul Whitehead.
114	Lynchburg.....	Nov. 1896	Bishop Duncan.....	Paul Whitehead.
115	Danville.....	Nov. 1897	Bishop Fitzgerald.....	Paul Whitehead.
116	Portsmouth.....	Nov. 1898	Bishop Hargrove.....	Paul Whitehead.
117	Petersburg.....	Nov. 1899	Bishop Wilson.....	Paul Whitehead.
118	Norfolk.....	Nov. 1900	Bishop Duncan.....	Paul Whitehead.
119	Newport News.....	Nov. 1901	Bishop Duncan.....	Paul Whitehead.
120	Richmond.....	Nov. 1902	Bishop Duncan.....	Paul Whitehead.
121	Charlottesville.....	Nov. 1903	Bishop Hendrix.....	Paul Whitehead.
122	Lynchburg.....	Nov. 1904	Bishop Wilson.....	Paul Whitehead.
123	Danville.....	Nov. 1905	Bishop Galloway.....	Paul Whitehead.
124	Portsmouth.....	Nov. 1906	Bishop Hendrix.....	Paul Whitehead.
125	Petersburg.....	Nov. 1907	Bishop Galloway.....	S. S. Lambeth.
126	Norfolk.....	Nov. 1908	Bishop Wilson.....	S. S. Lambeth.
127	Newport News.....	Nov. 1909	Bishop Morrison.....	S. S. Lambeth.
128	Richmond.....	Nov. 1910	Bishop Wilson.....	S. S. Lambeth.
129	Salisbury, Md.....	Nov. 1911	Bishop Kilgo.....	S. S. Lambeth.
130	Lynchburg.....	Nov. 1912	Bishop Wilson.....	S. S. Lambeth.
131	Danville.....	Nov. 1913	Bishop Denny.....	S. S. Lambeth.
132	Portsmouth.....	Nov. 1914	Bishop Kilgo.....	B. F. Lipscomb.
133	Norfolk.....	Nov. 1915	Bishop Candler.....	B. F. Lipscomb.
134	Richmond.....	Nov. 1916	Bishop Kilgo.....	B. F. Lipscomb.
135	Lynchburg.....	Nov. 1917	Bishop Hoss.....	B. F. Lipscomb.

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS, 1917

Opening.—The Virginia Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in its one hundred and thirty-fifth annual session at Court Street Church, Lynchburg, on Wednesday, November 14, 1917, at 9:20 a. m., Bishop E. E. Hoss in the chair, Bishop Collins Denny also being present.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Bishop Denny, including the administration of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper to the members of the Conference.

Organization.—The Secretary of the last Conference, Bernard F. Lipscomb, called the roll of clerical and lay members of the Conference, and 204 clerical and 19 lay members answered to their names.

B. F. Lipscomb was elected secretary, and J. T. Whitley, F. L. Wells and B. M. Beckham, assistant secretaries.

The bar of the Conference was fixed at the farther edge of the third window from the pulpit.

E. Frank Story, lay-reserve from the Portsmouth and Newport News District, was substituted for W. P. Gillette, an absent delegate from that District.

Committees Appointed.—A committee of three, consisting of J. C. Reed, R. F. Gayle and L. J. Phaup, was appointed to nominate a Committee on Admissions and a Committee on Conference Relations.

R. P. Lumpkin, Geo. E. Booker, and T. McN. Simpson were appointed a Committee on Collections.

On motion of E. H. Rawlings, a Committee on Temperance and Other Social Reforms was ordered, said committee to consist of those members of the Conference who are members of the Executive Committee of the Anti-Saloon League of Virginia; namely, Jas. Cannon, Jr., W. A. Christian, R. H. Bennett, S. C. Hatcher, E. T. Dadmun, T. McN. Simpson, J. S. Peters, W. H. Vincent and Geo. P. Adams.

The following Committee on Memorials to the General Conference was constituted on nomination of the Presiding Elders: R. L. Wingfield, W. R. Barksdale, B. T. Candler, Frank Talbott, W. A. Wright, G. I. McAllen, J. T. Bosman, H. E. Barrow, A. K. Lambdin, G. H. Clement, S. T. Senter, W. W. Vicar, J. B. Winn, C. P. Crowder, J. A. Winn, J. C. Parker, B. E. Hudson, M. W. Bruce, G. H. Lambeth and C. W. Hardwicke.

The Presiding Elder of the Lynchburg District and the pastors of the Lynchburg churches were appointed a Committee on Public Worship.

The Committee on Memoirs was constituted as follows: J. R. Laughton, J. W. Bledsoe, J. C. Reed, J. W. Heckman, T. McN. Simpson and James Cannon, Jr.

A Committee on District Conference Records was appointed, to consist of C. T. Thrift, A. P. Williams, H. W. Dunkley, H. L. Weston, Porter Hardy, T. J. C. Heath, J. E. Brooks, J. W. Marsh, F. E. H. McLean and L. T. Hitt.

A Committee on Publishing Interests was appointed as follows: J. K. Jolliff, Thos. Whitehead, J. H. Moss, J. T. Catlin, P. M. Hank, S. W. Ames, C. O. Tuttle, C. T. Reekes, C. R. James, T. S. West, J. L. Bray, C. M. Williamson, L. T. Williams, S. H. Short, S. A. Donahoe, E. F. Story, J. K. Walker, G. N. Reed, F. R. Chenault, G. J. Hunt.

The committee to nominate the Committees on Admissions and on Conference Relations presented the following names, which were approved by the Conference:

On Conference Relations—J. C. Reed, J. K. Jolliff, W. B. Jett, C. H. Williams, H. J. Paylor, Porter Hardy, L. T. Williams, R. M. Chandler, J. D. Hosier and T. A. Smoot.

On Admissions—L. H. Early, B. T. Candler, H. W. Dunkley, C. F. Comer, W. G. Boggs, G. T. Forrester, J. W. Stiff, W. T. A. Haynes, J. B. Askew and M. S. Colonna.

Papers Referred.—Communications were received and referred as follows:

From the Educational Commission and from the General Board of Education, referred to the Board of Education of this Conference.

From the Board of Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, referred to the Joint Board of Finance.

From the General Sunday School Board, referred to the Sunday School Board of this Conference.

From the Editor of the Christian Advocate (Nashville), referred to the Committee on Publishing Interests.

Visitors Introduced.—Rev. John A. Rice of St. Louis, Rev. T. N. Ivey, Editor of the Christian Advocate (Nashville), Rev. W. W. Hamilton of the First Baptist Church, Lynchburg, and Rev. J. W. Moore of the Holston Conference, were introduced to the body.

Memorial Service Ordered.—On motion of James Cannon, Jr., the memorial service for deceased members of the Conference was made the order of the day for Saturday next at 12 o'clock.

Presiding Elders Report.—Minute Question 22, "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" was called, and the following Presiding Elders made report of their work and passed in examination of character, namely: R. T. Waterfield, S. J. Brown, J. F. Carey, H. C. Pfeiffer, F. B. McSparran, R. H. Potts, G. W. Jones, W. H. Edwards, B. F. Lipscomb and W. T. Green.

More Papers Referred.—J. B. Winn offered a paper providing for the appointment of a war-work committee, and addressed the Conference upon the good work in progress among the soldiers at Camp Lee, after which the paper was referred to the Board of Missions.

J. T. Whitley presented a written statement as to the financial status of the Conference ANNUAL, of which he is Editor, and the same was referred to the Committee on Publishing Interests.

Bishop Hoss Invited.—On motion of Geo. E. Booker, the Conference requested Bishop Hoss to deliver on Thursday, at noon, his address on "The Life and Labors of Bishop McKendree."

More Papers Referred.—C E. Blankenship and J. K. Jolliff presented papers from the Lynchburg and the Charlottesville District Conferences, touching evangelistic work in the mountains of Virginia, and the same were referred to the Board of Missions.

A paper from the Norfolk Preachers' Meeting on religious work among soldiers and sailors was offered, and the same was referred to the Board of Missions.

A paper from the Richmond District Conference, requesting that the support of the Conference Orphanage be put on the assessment basis, was referred to the Joint Board of Finance.

Memorials Referred.—Memorials were offered and referred to the Committee on Memorials, as follows:

One relating to rural churches; one concerning the election of delegates to the District Conference; and one concerning complaints against pastors.

A paper requesting the Board of Missions to rescind its action regarding the Every Member canvass on mission charges, was referred to that Board.

Supernumeraries Called.—Minute Question 22, "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" was again called, and the following brethren passed in examination of character, and their names were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the supernumerary relation: John M. Burton, J. E. McCartney, E. L. Pell, E. J. Potts and H. P. Read.

Superannuates Called.—Under the same question the following brethren passed in examination of character, and their names were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuate relation: W. G. Bates, Sr., A. C. Berryman, C. H. Boggs, H. C. Bowles, C. W. Cain, T. P. Duke, J. R. Gill, C. H. Green, W. H. Gregory, John Hannon, B. S. Herrink, A. C. Jordan, W. P. Jordan, W. E. Judkins, W. A. Laughon, S. S. Lambeth, J. E. McSparran, James O. Moss, J. E. Oyler, E. P. Parham, J. W. Parrish, N. J. Pruden, W. H. Riddick, McDaniel Rucker, L. C. Shearer, J. R. Sturgis, W. A. Tompkins, D. J. Traynham, C. W. Turner, W. J. Twilley, C. E. Watts, C. C. Wertenbaker, J. T. Whitley, J. P. Woodward.

Gift to John Hannon.—John Victor, Treasurer of Memorial Church, Lynchburg, presented John Hannon with a deed to a home in this city, purchased for him by members of that church, of which he was once pastor.

Anniversaries Ordered.—On motion, it was ordered that the missionary anniversary be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, and the Sunday School anniversary on Friday evening at the same hour.

Notices were read, and then the Conference adjourned, after prayer led by John Hannon.

SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1917.

Conference met at 9:30 o'clock a. m., Bishop Hoss in the chair. Devotional exercises were conducted by the Bishop, D. G. C. Butts leading the prayer.

The roll was called, and a number of preachers and lay delegates answered to their names.

Reserve Delegates Seated.—W. H. Vincent, lay-reserve from the Portsmouth and Newport News District, was substituted for W. P. Gillette, absent delegate from that District; also G. N. Reed (Rappahannock District) for J. E. Marsh; Lee Britt (Portsmouth and Newport News District) for J. L. McLemore; and R. M. Cox (Charlottesville District) for D. M. Pattie.

The minutes of yesterday's session were read, amended and approved.

D. T. Merritt was substituted for Geo. E. Booker on the Committee on Collections.

Time to Elect Delegates Appointed.—On motion of R. P. Lumpkin, it was ordered that the election of delegates to the General Conference be made the order of the day for tomorrow (Friday) at 10:30 o'clock.

More Visitors Introduced.—Revs. H. A. Brown, W. O. Talbert, and J. H. Balthis of the Baltimore Conference, Rev. W. G. Cram of Korea, Rev. F. S. Parker, Editor of the Epworth Era, and Rev. A. D. Betts, President of Paine College, were introduced to the Conference.

No Reports from Preachers.—On motion of B. F. Lipscomb, it was ordered, after some discussion, that, in calling the names of the preachers under Minute Question 22, their characters be passed upon, without calling for their reports.

Committee on Memorials: Report No. 1.—J. B. Winn, from the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference, submitted Report No. 1, the first item of which asked that the election of lay delegates to the District Conference be transferred from the Quarterly Conference to the Church Conference. After a somewhat protracted discussion it was ordered, on motion of James Cannon, Jr., that the further consideration of the matter be postponed until after the taking of the first ballot for delegates to the General Conference to-morrow.

Dr. Parker Speaks.—Dr. F. S. Parker, General Epworth League Secretary, addressed the Conference with reference to the work of the League.

Hall Fund.—B. F. Lipscomb and S. C. Hatcher, Trustees of the Hall Fund, submitted a report showing balance in hand of \$161.76, and asking authority to pay over said sum to the treasurer of the Conference Fund. The report was adopted.

Memorial Referred.—W. W. Royall presented a paper on the granting of the rights of the laity to women, which was referred to the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference.

Opening Sermon Tuesday Night.—R. M. Maxey and others offered the following paper, which was adopted:

Whereas, There are more calls for special meetings than there are nights in the Conference session; and

Whereas, most of the ministers of the Conference reach the seat of the Conference by Tuesday night; therefore,

Resolved, that the Committee on Public Worship be and is hereby requested to arrange for the opening sermon of the next Conference to be preached on Tuesday night.

Transfers Received.—Minute Question 6, "Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?" was called, and the Bishop announced the transfer

of James W. Moore, an elder of the Holston Conference, and Wallace R. Evans, an elder of the Florida Conference.

Invitation from Woman's College.—Dr. N. A. Patillo, of the Randolph-Macon Woman's College, invited the Conference to visit the College from 4 to 6 p. m., tomorrow, and the same was accepted.

More Visitors.—Revs. G. R. Fringer and G. K. Heydrick of the Baltimore Conference, and Rev. R. H. Bennett, Secretary of Ministerial Supply and Training, were introduced to the Conference.

Afternoon Session Ordered.—On motion, it was decided to hold a session of the Conference at 3 p. m. today, to hear addresses from representatives of connectional interests.

Continued in Second Year.—Minute Question 4, "Who are admitted into full connection?" was called; and William L. Burks and Richard R. Burnett passed in examination of character; but not having appeared before the examining committee, were continued in the class of the second year.

At this point, the chairman of the committee having reported that the examinations were not yet finished, the call of the class was suspended.

Bishop Hoss Makes Address.—The order of the day having arrived, Bishop Hoss was presented to the Conference in a few pertinent remarks by Bishop Denny. The Bishop then proceeded to deliver his address upon "The Life and Labors of William McKendree."

Pending the delivery of the address, the hour for adjournment arrived, and, on motion, the time was extended.

Vote of Thanks.—At the conclusion of the address, the Conference tendered the Bishop a unanimous vote of thanks.

Invitation from Y. M. C. A.—An invitation was read from W. H. Wranek, vice-president of the Lynchburg Young Men's Christian Association, inviting members of the Conference to make use of the facilities of the Association during their stay in the city.

And then, after the notices had been given, Dr. Fitzgerald S. Parker pronounced the benediction, and the Conference adjourned.

SECOND DAY.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Conference met at 3 p. m., with Bishop Collins Denny in the chair. G. E. Booker gave out the hymn "Amazing grace, how sweet the sound," which was sung, and prayer was offered by S. A. Donahoe.

The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

W. J. Young Presides.—Bishop Denny appointed W. J. Young to preside during the remainder of the session.

President Betts Speaks.—Rev. A. D. Betts, president of Paine College, Augusta, Ga., was introduced, and addressed the Conference in explanation of the origin, history and needs of that institution for the training of colored preachers and teachers.

At the conclusion of his address the Conference adjourned with the benediction by George E. Booker.

THIRD DAY.**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1917.**

Conference met at 9:30 a. m., Bishop E. E. Hoss in the chair. Devotional exercises were conducted by J. C. Reed. The minutes of yesterday afternoon's session were read and approved.

Name Referred.—Minute Question 22 was again called, and under it S. W. Day's character was passed, and his name was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuate relation.

Into Full Connection.—Minute Question 4, "Who are admitted into full connection?" was again called, and Edgar W. Davis, Joseph S. Gresham, Leon W. Hendrickson, Chas. Lester Salmon, and Chas. T. Harrell, having passed in examination of character, and having passed an approved examination on the Course of Study, were examined by the Bishop in accordance with the Discipline, and were appropriately addressed by him; and having made satisfactory responses, were severally admitted into full connection.

Continued in Second Year.—W. H. Fletcher, E. G. Hill, Z. V. Johnston, and Bernard S. Via were passed in examination of character, but not having completed the Course of Study, were continued in the class of the second year.

Continued in Third Year.—Edward M. Higginbotham passed in examination of character, but not having stood the required examination was continued on trial in the class of the third year. Geo. H. I. Mayo was approved by the examining committee, but not by the Committee on Admissions. His character was passed and he was continued in this class.

Traveling Deacons Elected.—Minute Question 10, "What traveling preachers are elected deacons?" was called, and Edgar W. Davis and Chas. Lester Salmon, having passed the requisite examination and being properly recommended, were elected to deacon's orders.

Lay Reserves Seated.—M. A. Campbell, lay-reserve from the Richmond District, was substituted for L. J. Head, who is absent. Dr. C. T. Womack was substituted for E. G. Moseley, lay delegate from the Danville District, who is unable to be present.

Election of Delegates Begun.—The order of the day having arrived, the Conference proceeded to elect seven clerical and seven lay delegates to the General Conference.

Absentees Allowed to Vote.—On motion, S. Otto Wright, T. O. Edwards, W. H. Grubbs and A. B. Sharpe, who are not at the seat of Conference, were granted the privilege of depositing with the Secretary of the Conference a sealed ballot for clerical delegates to the General Conference.

Defective Ballots.—On motion, it was ordered that in said election no ballot containing fewer than the requisite number of names shall be counted.

Tellers and Secretaries Appointed.—On motion of B. F. Lipscomb, the following brethren were elected tellers to receive and count the ballots, namely: for the clerical vote, W. Aiken Smart and John W. Gee; for the lay vote, J. C. Parker and W. W. Vicar. R. M. White and R. H. Marks were chosen as assistant secretaries to accompany the tellers and record the vote.

More Visitors.—Rev. Stonewall Anderson, Secretary of the General Board of Education, Rev. H. H. Sherman of the Baltimore Conference, and Rev. Geo. E. Curry of the Methodist Episcopal Church, were introduced to the Conference.

War Work Commended.—William E. Thompson and others offered a paper commending the work of the Y. M. C. A. among the soldiers and sailors, and pledging the support of the Conference, and the same was adopted. (See Appendix III.)

Memorials Referred.—The following papers were offered and referred to the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference:

One regarding the greater efficiency of the rural church.

One providing for the election of the lay members of the Annual Conference Boards by the District Conference.

One giving to deacons the right to administer the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Memorial Adopted.—The memorial under consideration yesterday, giving the Church Conference the right to elect delegates to the District Conference, was taken up, and the same was adopted. (See Appendix III.)

On motion of James Cannon, Jr., further consideration of the report of the Committee on Memorials was postponed.

Board of Missions Reports.—Report No. 1 of the Board of Missions was read by W. B. Beauchamp, president, and was adopted. (See Appendix III.)

Lay Activities Report.—T. S. Southgate, chairman of the Board of Lay Activities, read the report of that Board, and it was adopted. (See Appendix III.)

Four Lay Delegates Elected.—The result of the first ballot for lay delegates to the General Conference was reported as follows:

Ballots cast, 34; necessary to a choice, 18. H. E. Barrow received 28 votes, John P. Pettyjohn 26, S. W. Ames 19, T. S. Southgate 18, S. D. Scott 16, Frank Talbott 16, J. C. Parker 13, C. W. Hardwicke 13, J. T. Catlin 10, W. C. Ivey 9, Geo. N. Reed 9, Thomas Whitehead 7, W. W. Vicar 7, W. H. Vincent 5, R. E. Blackwell 4, G. W. Mapp 4, J. E. Rogers 3, A. H. Clement, G. J. Hunt, S. P. Jones, J. E. Marsh, E. S. Smith, S. H. Short and J. E. Scott two each, and M. W. Bruce, C. F. Crowder, Miller Campbell, S. G. Scott, S. C. Scott and E. L. Mann, one each.

H. E. Barrow, John P. Pettyjohn, S. W. Ames and T. S. Southgate were declared elected.

A second ballot was taken for three delegates to complete the lay delegation, and the tellers retired to ascertain the result.

Money Raised For War Work.—Bishop Denny spoke on the need of religious work among the soldiers, and called for subscriptions to cover the amount (\$15,000) named as the minimum in the report of the Board of Missions adopted this morning.

The response was quick and generous, the sum of \$15,162.50 being subscribed in a short while.

Leave of Absence.—B. E. Hudson and T. W. Ogden were granted leave of absence for Saturday and Sunday. O. B. Newton was granted the same privilege after today.

Two More Lay Delegates.—The second ballot for lay delegates was announced as follows: Ballots cast, 35; necessary to a choice, 18. Frank Talbott received 18 votes; S. D. Scott 18, J. C. Parker 12, C. W. Hardwicke 8, J. T. Catlin 8, and the rest were scattering.

Frank Talbott and S. D. Scott were declared elected.

A third ballot was taken for one lay delegate, and the tellers retired to count the vote.

Night Session Ordered.—On motion, it was ordered that a night session of Conference, beginning at 8 o'clock, be held, to hear the report of the Sunday School Board, and the result of the first ballot for clerical delegates to the General Conference; also, to take a second ballot.

Appointments to Preach.—F. L. Wells, from the Committee on Public Worship, read the appointments for preaching next Sunday. He also submitted the following nominations for the next session, which were confirmed by the Conference:

To preach the opening sermon, T. R. Reeves; L. G. Crutchfield, alternate.

To preach the sermon at the ordination of elders, H. J. Paylor; H. H. Smith, alternate.

Memorial Referred.—A memorial on religious education, presented by E. H. Rowe, was referred to the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference.

Seventh Lay Delegate Elected.—The tellers reported the result of the third ballot for lay delegates as follows: Votes cast 28; necessary to a choice, 15. J. C. Parker received 22 votes, J. T. Catlin 3, C. T. Womack 2, W. W. Vicar 1. J. C. Parker was declared elected.

Reserves to Be Elected.—On motion, it was decided to elect four reserve clerical delegates and the same number of lay reserves. Notices were given, and then the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Rev. M. B. Porter, of the Virginia Bible Society.

THIRD DAY.

EVENING SESSION.

Conference reassembled at 8 o'clock p. m., Bishop Hoss in the chair. John Hannon led the Conference in prayer.

The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

Two Clerical Delegates Chosen.—The result of the first ballot for clerical delegates to the General Conference was announced as follows: Number of votes cast, 269; necessary to a choice, 135. James Cannon, Jr., received 198 votes, Geo. E. Booker 154, S. C. Hatcher 128, G. H. Lambeth 112, B. F. Lipscomb 106, R. T. Waterfield 95, W. A. Christian 84, W. J. Young 81, B. M. Beckham 78, J. C. Reed 78, W. B. Beauchamp 63, C. F. Comer 62, J. B. Winn 56, T. N. Potts 50, G. W. Jones 43, R. H. Bennett 42, J. F. Carey 34, H. C. Pfeiffer 34, E. H. Rawlings 31,

W. H. Edwards 24, J. N. Latham 24, F. B. McSparran 21, M. S. Colonna 20, N. B. Foushee 20, J. W. Stiff 20, T. McN. Simpson, G. C. Kelly and T. A. Smoot, 14 each; W. B. Jett, F. L. Wells and R. H. Potts, 11 each; J. T. Mastin and J. T. Bosman, 10 each; the rest scattering.

James Cannon, Jr., and Geo. E. Booker were declared elected. A second ballot was then taken; also the first ballot for lay-reserve delegates.

R. H. Bennett Presides.—(R. H. Bennett in the chair by appointment of Bishop Hoss.)

Secretary Brabham Reports.—E. T. Dadmun, Chairman of the Sunday School Board, introduced M. W. Brabham, Field Secretary of the Board, who read his annual report. (See Appendix III.)

Two Lay Reserves Elected.—The result of the first ballot for lay-reserve delegates was then announced: Votes cast, 27; necessary to a choice, 14.

W. R. Cato received 14 votes, G. N. Reed 14, W. C. Ivey 12, G. P. Adams 11, J. T. Catlin 9, C. W. Hardwicke 7, and C. T. Womack 6.

W. R. Cato and G. N. Reed were declared elected.

Another ballot was then taken.

Sunday School Report Adopted.—E. T. Dadmun, chairman of the Sunday School Board, read the annual report of that Board, which, after some discussion, was adopted. (See Appendix III.)

Another Lay Reserve Chosen.—The tellers announced the result of the second ballot for lay-reserve delegates as follows: Votes cast, 26; necessary to a choice, 14. W. C. Ivey received 21, Geo. P. Adams 12, J. T. Catlin 6, and the rest were scattering. W. C. Ivey was declared elected, and another ballot was taken.

Dr. Chappell Speaks.—Dr. E. B. Chappell, Sunday School Editor, then addressed the Conference.

Fourth Lay Reserve Chosen.—The last ballot for lay-reserve delegates yielded the following result: Votes cast, 25; necessary to a choice, 13. George P. Adams received 17 votes, and was declared elected.

Two More Clerical Delegates.—The second ballot for clerical delegates resulted as follows: Votes cast, 225; necessary to a choice, 113. S. C. Hatcher received 128 votes, G. H. Lambeth 127, R. T. Waterfield 92, B. F. Lipscomb 91, J. C. Reed 84, W. A. Christian 79, B. M. Beckham 76, W. J. Young 72, W. B. Beauchamp 50, C. F. Comer 35, R. H. Bennett 33, T. N. Potts 31, J. B. Winn 27, E. H. Rawlings 23, G. W. Jones and H. C. Pfeiffer 19 each, N. B. Foushee and W. H. Edwards 14 each, J. W. Stiff 12, J. F. Carey 11, and the rest scattering.

S. C. Hatcher and G. H. Lambeth were declared elected.

It was decided to postpone the taking of another ballot until tomorrow morning.

And then the Conference adjourned with the benediction by J. T. Whitley.

FOURTH DAY.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1917.

Conference met at 9:30 o'clock, Bishop E. E. Hoss in the chair. Rev. E. B. Chappell, D. D., conducted the devotional exercises.

The minutes of the previous session were read, amended and approved.

Ballot Taken.—The third ballot for clerical delegates to the General Conference was then taken, and the tellers retired to count the vote.

Papers Referred.—Communications were received and referred respectively to the Boards of Church Extension, Sunday Schools, Epworth Leagues, and Education, and the Committee on Publishing Interests.

Nomination Referred.—A communication from S. C. Hatcher, secretary of Randolph-Macon College, asking the Conference to confirm the election of W. B. Roper as a trustee of the College, was referred to the Board of Education.

Speeches Limited.—On motion of L. G. Crutchfield, it was ordered that speeches on memorials to the General Conference be limited to ten minutes each.

More Visitors.—The following visitors were introduced: Rev. H. M. DuBose, D. D., Editor of the Methodist Review, Dr. Cassidy of the Holston Conference, Dr. E. K. Hardin of the Baltimore Conference, and Rev. M. B. Porter, D. D., agent of the Virginia Bible Society.

Allowed to Vote.—H. C. Gregory and R. H. Potts, having come into the Conference room after the last ballot for clerical delegates to the General Conference was cast, were permitted to cast their votes.

Memorial Adopted.—Item two of Report No. 1 of the Committee on Memorials, was read by the chairman, John B. Winn, who also addressed the Conference upon the subject matter of the report. Remarks were made also by George W. Wray, after which the item was adopted. (See Appendix III.)

Dr. Porter Speaks.—Dr. M. B. Porter, of the American Bible Society, addressed the Conference upon the work and needs of that society.

Dr. Du Bose Speaks.—Rev. H. M. Du Bose, D. D., addressed the Conference on the subject of Church Literature, and took subscriptions for The Methodist Review, of which he is Editor.

Bible Society Fund.—On motion of H. C. Pfeiffer, it was ordered that the offerings for the American Bible Society in excess of what was contributed last year, shall be applied to the Emergency Fund.

Two More Clerical Delegates.—The result of the third ballot for clerical delegates to the General Conference was announced, as follows: Votes cast, 221; necessary to a choice, 111. R. T. Waterfield received 113 votes, J. C. Reed 112, B. F. Lipscomb 110, W. J. Young 63, W. A. Christian 59, B. M. Beckham 52, W. B. Beauchamp 32, R. H. Bennett 19, John B. Winn 17, H. C. Pfeiffer 14, C. F. Comer 13, T. N. Potts 12, E. H. Rawlings 9, F. B. McSparran 6, J. W. Stiff 6, J. F. Carey 5, G. W. Jones 3, M. S. Colonna 3, N. B. Foushee 3, R. H. Potts 3, G. C. Kelly, J. T. Mastin, F. B. McSparran and J. T. Bosman two each, and S. J. Brown, W. H. Edwards, T. A. Smoot and G. H. Spooner one each.

R. T. Waterfield and J. C. Reed were declared elected, and then another ballot was taken to elect the one delegate remaining to be chosen.

J. N. Latham was granted leave of absence until Monday.

Name Referred.—Under a recall of Minute Question 22, the character of P. M. Bell was passed, and his name was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuate relation.

Elected Traveling Elders.—Minute Question 14, "What traveling preachers are elected elders?" was called, and the following deacons, having passed the required examinations, and being duly recommended, were severally elected to elder's orders; namely, James E. Avery, Jr., Fred R. Chenault, William H. Grubbs, Orson B. Newton, Bart D. Stephens, Henry T. Todd, and Aden P. Williams.

Continued in Fourth Year.—Walter S. Brown passed in examination of character, but having failed to appear before the examining committee, he was continued in the class of the fourth year.

Examination Approved.—Christopher C. Jones, an elder, passed in examination of character, and his final examination in the Course of Study was approved by the committee.

Elected Local Deacons.—Minute Question 12, "What local preachers are elected deacons?" was called, and Joseph M. Batten, a local preacher of the Portsmouth and Newport News District, and Elwood R. Crawley, a local preacher of the Norfolk District, having met all the requirements, and being duly recommended, were elected to deacon's orders.

Questions Answered: None.—Minute Question 16, "What local preachers are elected elders?" was called, and answered: None.

Minute Question 7, "Who are received from other Churches as local preachers?" was called, and answered: None.

Minute Question 5, "Who are readmitted?" was called, and answered: None.

Minute Question 8, "Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers?" was called, and answered: None.

Admitted on Trial.—Minute Question 1, "Who are admitted on trial?" was called; and the following applicants, having passed the required examinations, and being duly recommended, were severally admitted on trial into the traveling connection; namely, Benjamin Boyd Bland, James Cannon, III., Elwood R. Crawley, Millard Fillmore Draper, John Marshall, Robert Bayard Proctor, and Charles Lewis Stillwell.

To Be Supplies.—The names of Oscar L. Martin, James W. Reynolds, Jr., and Francis R. Holland were presented; but not being approved by the Committee on Admissions, their applications could not be considered. The Conference, however, authorized the Presiding Elders to employ them as supplies.

Seventh Clerical Delegate Elected.—The result of the fourth ballot for clerical delegates to the General Conference was announced by the Secretary, as follows: Votes cast, 210; necessary to a choice, 106. B. F. Lipscomb received 124 votes, W. J. Young 29, B. M. Beckham 21, W. A. Christian 17, W. B. Beauchamp 6, T. N. Potts 3, J. B. Winn 2, and the following 1 each: namely, R. H. Bennett, G. H. Spooner, J. N. Latham, W. F. Hayes, J. T. Mastin, E. H. Rawlings, T. McN. Simpson, and T. A. Smoot. B. F. Lipscomb was declared elected.

One Discontinued.—Minute Question 3, "Who are discontinued?" was called, and answered: Chas. W. Moss.

Deacons of One Year.—Minute Question 9, "Who are the deacons of one year?" was called, and the following deacons, having passed the required examinations, and being duly recommended, were advanced to the class of the fourth year: William J. Boyd, James A. Chapman, Jacob J. Clarke, Walter S. Deyerle, James L. Finch, Leon S. Flourney, William H. Hantzmon, Theodore G. Laughon, E. Bernard Loving, Charles H. McNeil, Hugh D. Mollart, Henry W. Neville, William P. Province, A. Walter Roten, Arthur L. Stevenson and Sterling W. Wilkinson.

Continued in Third Year.—Leslie F. Callaham, T. Maynard DeShazo, Chas. T. Harrell, Edward M. Higginbotham and Horace P. Read, not having stood the required examination on the course of study, passed in examination of character and were continued in the class of the third year.

H. P. Read's Case.—In the case of H. P. Read, who has been in this class for several years, the Presiding Elder of the Farmville District was requested to inform him that he would be expected to stand the required examination next year, or in default thereof to locate.

Case of J. B. Douglas.—The case of Jas. B. Douglas, who is serving with the army of the United States in France, was held open for further consideration.

Remain On Trial.—Minute Question 2, "Who remain on trial?" was called, and in answer thereto the following brethren, having met all the requirements, and being duly recommended, passed in examination of character and were advanced to the class of the second year, namely: William K. Cunningham, James U. Edwards, Harvey A. Glauss, William O. Gordon, Laxton C. Smart and Chester A. Tucker.

H. P. Anker, a missionary in Africa, Leonard R. Black, Otis L. Gilliam, and Dumas Malone, not having appeared before the examining committee, passed in examination of character, and were continued in the class of the first year.

Memorial Service Held.—The order of the day, the memorial service for our deceased brethren, having arrived, memoirs were presented and read in the following order:

That of William V. Tudor, by J. R. Laughton.

That of William H. Camper, written by J. Wiley Bledsoe, and read by O. M. Clarke.

That of William R. Crowder, by J. C. Reed.

That of Samuel R. Drewry, by J. W. Heckman.

That of John Q. Rhodes, by J. C. Reed.

That of Lewis B. Betty, by T. McN. Simpson.

That of Bascom Dey, by Jas. Cannon, Jr.,

Memoirs To Be Published.—On motion of B. F. Lipscomb, it was ordered that copies of these memoirs be sent to the Book Editor at Nashville, for publication in the General Minutes, and that the names of the deceased brethren be recorded in answer to Minute Question 21, "What preachers have died during the year?"

E. T. Dadmun was granted leave of absence.

Two Clerical Reserves Elected.—The tellers reported the result of the first ballot for four reserve clerical delegates to the General Conference, as follows: Votes cast, 176; necessary to a choice, 89. W. J. Young received 93 votes, B. M. Beckham 91, W. A. Christian 84, W. B. Beauchamp 65, R. H. Bennett 47, J. B. Winn 44, T. N. Potts 39, E. H. Rawlings 29, H. C. Pfeiffer 29, G. W. Jones 19, M. S. Colonna 16, C. F. Comer 15, R. H. Potts 13, W. H. Edwards 10, T. McN. Simpson 9, J. N. Latham 8, F. B. McSparran 8, T. A. Smoot 8, J. F. Carey 7, J. S. Peters 6, N. B. Foushee 6, J. K. Jolliff 5, J. W. Stiff 5, W. W. Royall 4. The following received three each: G. C. Kelly, J. T. Bosman, J. T. Mastin, J. W. Shackford, F. L. Wells, S. J. Brown, and R. M. Maxey. The following received two each: H. W. Davis, V. W. Bargamin, W. T. Green and G. H. Spooner. The following received one each: D. J. Traynham, J. A. Thomas, J. T. Whitley, J. M. Rowland, S. J. Battin, J. J. Bradford, John Hannon, A. B. Sharpe, W. F. Hayes, W. B. Jett, L. T. Williams, J. W. Gee, L. H. Early, E. V. Carson, J. W. Carroll and J. H. Moss. W. J. Young and B. M. Beckham were declared elected.

The Conference then adjourned, with the benediction by Dr. H. M. DuBose.

FIFTH DAY.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1917.

Conference met at 9:30 o'clock, Bishop Collins Denny in the chair, in the absence of Bishop Hoss, who was detained by sickness.

Devotional exercises were conducted by W. W. Lear.

The minutes of Saturday's session were read, amended and approved.

Certificate of Ordination.—Bishop Denny presented and read the following certificate covering the ordination services conducted by him on yesterday:

This certifies that I, Collins Denny, one of the Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, after a sermon preached by me on Sunday morning, the eighteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventeen, in Court Street Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in the city of Lynchburg, in the State of Virginia, did ordain each of the following traveling preachers to the office of Deacon in the Church of God, each one having been elected to that office by the Virginia Annual Conference of the Church named above, and each one having been presented by Bernard F. Lipscomb, an Elder and also the secretary of the above-named Annual Conference: Edgar W. Davis and Charles Lester Salmon.

At the same time I ordained to the office of Deacon in the Church of God Elwood R. Crawley, a local preacher, who had been elected by the above-named Annual Conference to that office, and who was presented for ordination by the aforesaid Bernard F. Lipscomb. In this service T. McN. Simpson, an Elder, read the Epistle.

Immediately after the ordination of the Deacons, and assisted in the laying on of hands by the Reverend Bishop Richard G. Waterhouse, T. McN. Simpson, W. W. Lear and Ernest Stevens—each of the last three named being an Elder—I ordained the following traveling preachers to the office

of Elder in the Church of God, each one having been elected to that office by the same Annual Conference of the above-named Church, and each one having been presented by the above-named Bernard F. Lipscomb: James E. Avery, Junior, Fred R. Chenault, Orson B. Newton, Henry T. Todd and Aden P. Williams. In this service the Reverend Bishop Richard G. Waterhouse read the Gospel.

Given over my hand in the city of Lynchburg, in the State of Virginia, on this eighteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventeen.

COLLINS DENNY.

Publishing Interests.—J. K. Jolliff, chairman, presented Report No. 1 of the Committee on Publishing Interests, reciting the financial condition of the Conference ANNUAL in connection with the greatly increased cost of printing, and recommending that an assessment of \$2,000 be made upon the pastoral charges to meet the expense of publication for the coming year. After considerable discussion, the report was rejected by a vote of 86 against 83.

A ballot was taken for two clerical reserve delegates to the General Conference.

Preachers' Relief Society.—W. W. Vicar, secretary and treasurer of the Preachers' Relief Society, read the annual statement of the transactions of that Society, for the information of the Conference. On motion the Conference elected the following as a Board of Directors for the said Society for the coming year: Richard Ferguson, James C. Reed, John E. DeShazo, John B. Winfree, E. V. White, J. W. Grandy, E. G. Moseley, S. Q. Collins and W. W. Vicar. (See Appendix III.)

Endowment Fund.—W. W. Vicar, in behalf of the Preachers' Relief Society and the Co-operative Board appointed at the last annual session of this Conference, presented a report with reference to transactions in connection with the raising of an Endowment Fund for Superannuates. The report was adopted, and is as follows: (See Appendix III.)

Finance: Report No. 1.—W. A. Christian offered Report No. 1 from the Joint Board of Finance, putting the support of the Conference Orphanage on an assessment basis. The report was discussed by W. A. Christian and others, was amended, and in the amended form was adopted as follows: (See Appendix III.)

Lay Members Seated.—L. J. Head, lay-delegate from the Richmond District, appeared and took his seat as a member of the body.

J. Lee Davis, lay reserve from the Richmond District, was substituted for J. H. Chappell, absent lay delegate.

No Election.—The tellers reported the result of the second ballot for clerical reserve delegates to the General Conference, as follows: Votes cast, 174; necessary to a choice, 88. W. A. Christian received 82 votes, J. B. Winn 45, W. B. Beauchamp 38, R. H. Bennett 25, H. C. Pfeiffer 18, T. N. Potts 17, G. W. Jones 14, and M. S. Colonna and E. H. Rawlings 13 each. The rest were scattering. No one was elected, and another ballot was taken for clerical reserves.

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Memorials Referred.—J. Arthur Winn and others presented a memorial relating to the election of stewards, and it was referred to the Committee on Memorials.

James Cannon, Jr., and others offered a memorial relating to the division of the Church into Episcopal Districts, and specifying certain work for the Bishops, and it was referred to the Committee on Memorials.

Recess Taken.—On motion, the Conference took a recess for thirty minutes, to allow the Conference Brotherhood to hold its annual meeting.

J. C. Reed Presiding.—At the conclusion of the Brotherhood meeting, the Conference resumed its session, J. C. Reed being in the chair by appointment of the Bishop.

One Clerical Reserve Added.—The result of the third ballot for clerical reserve delegates was reported as follows: Votes cast, 184; necessary to a choice, 93. W. A. Christian received 114 votes, J. B. Winn 72, W. B. Beauchamp 48, R. H. Bennett 20, H. C. Pfeiffer 17, G. W. Jones 15, T. N. Potts 13, M. S. Colonna 12, and the rest were scattering. W. A. Christian was declared elected, and another ballot was taken.

Memorial Referred.—A memorial looking to the removal of the time limit from the pastorate was offered by W. A. Christian and others, and referred to the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference.

Paper From Bishop Hendrix Read.—George W. Wray read to the Conference an interesting paper prepared by Bishop Eugene R. Hendrix, and addressed to the laymen of our Church, emphasizing the need of a better provision for our superannuate preachers and the widows and orphans of deceased preachers. The Conference requested that the paper be published in the Baltimore and Richmond Christian Advocate.

Fourth Clerical Reserve Chosen.—The tellers reported the result of the fourth ballot for clerical reserve delegates to the General Conference, as follows: Votes cast, 99; necessary to a choice, 50. John B. Winn received 50 votes, W. B. Beauchamp 23, R. H. Bennett 12, T. N. Potts and H. C. Pfeiffer three each, J. N. Latham, J. K. Jolliff and G. W. Jones two each, and W. W. Royall and M. S. Colonna one each. John B. Winn was declared elected.

Night Session Ordered.—On motion of James Cannon, Jr., it was decided to hold a session of Conference at 8 o'clock this evening; and that the first twenty minutes be given to Rev. J. C. C. Newton, D. D., in which to represent his work at Kobe, Japan, and the next fifteen minutes to Dr. E. B. Crooks of Randolph-Macon Woman's College, for a statement concerning Food Conservation.

J. T. Payne was granted leave of absence.

And then, after the giving of notices, the Conference adjourned with the benediction by T. McN. Simpson.

FIFTH DAY.

EVENING SESSION.

Bishop Waterhouse Presides.—Conference met at 8 p. m., according to adjournment, with Bishop Richard G. Waterhouse in the chair. Devotional exercises were conducted by W. Asbury Christian.

Music By Students.—Music was rendered by a group of students from the Randolph-Macon Woman's College, under the direction of Miss Clark.

The minutes of the morning session were read, amended and approved.

Thanks Tendered.—On motion of George E. Booker, the Conference tendered a rising vote of thanks to the student choir for their musical service.

Dr. Newton Speaks.—J. C. C. Newton, D. D., missionary to Japan, and a member of this Conference, made an interesting statement of the progress of our educational work in Kobe, Japan, in connection with the Kwansei Gakuin, or "Western Japan Institute," of which he is president.

Dr. Crooks Speaks.—Dr. E. B. Crooks, of Randolph-Macon Woman's College, spoke briefly and earnestly on the subject of Food Conservation, as a representative of the leaders in promoting economy in the nation. At the conclusion of his remarks, the Conference sang with spirit two stanzas of "My Country, 'tis of Thee."

Supernumeraries and Superannuates.—J. C. Reed, from the Committee on Conference Relations, reported, recommending for the supernumerary and superannuate relations the following brethren, and the report was adopted:

Minute Question 19, "Who are supernumerary?"

Answer: J. M. Burton, J. E. McCartney, E. L. Pell, E. J. Potts, and H. P. Read.

Minute Question 20, "Who are superannuated?"

Answer: W. G. Bates, Sr., P. M. Bell, A. C. Berryman, C. H. Boggs, H. C. Bowles, C. W. Cain, S. W. Day, T. P. Duke, C. H. Green, J. R. Gill, W. H. Gregory, John Hannon, B. S. Herrink, A. C. Jordan, W. P. Jordan, W. E. Judkins, S. S. Lambeth, W. A. Laughon, J. E. McSparran, James O. Moss, J. E. Oyler, E. P. Parham, J. W. Parrish, N. J. Pruden, W. H. Riddick, McDaniel Rucker, L. C. Shearer, J. R. Sturgis, W. A. Tompkins, D. J. Traynham, Chas. W. Turner, W. J. Twilley, Chas. E. Watts, C. C. Wertenbaker, J. T. Whitley, J. P. Woodward.

Memorials: Report No. 2.—Frank Talbott, from the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference, offered Report No. 2 of that committee, consisting of twelve sections. On motion, the sections were taken up seriatim.

Adopted.—Section one recommended concurrence in a memorial to change paragraph 156 of section seven of the Discipline, so as to authorize a traveling deacon to administer the Lord's Supper in the absence of the elder, and the recommendation was adopted.

Adopted.—Section two recommended that the law of the church be so changed as to put the election of the lay members of all Boards of the Annual Conference in the hands of the District Conference, and that these members of the Boards so elected shall be members of the Annual Conference. The recommendation was adopted.

Adopted.—Section three recommended that the General Conference give careful consideration to the problem of the Rural Church under present-day conditions, and enact such legislation as it may deem wise or necessary to improve the efficiency of the church in the rural communities. The recommendation was adopted.

Adopted.—Section four recommended non-concurrence in a memorial to ask the General Conference to establish a Rural Church Department in connection with the department of Home Missions, or otherwise. After remarks by L.G. Crutchfield, the committee's recommendation was adopted.

Adopted.—Section five recommended non-concurrence in a memorial of E. H. Rowe and J. B. Winn, to ask the General Conference to appoint a commission with a view to bringing about a reform in the modern system of education. The matter was discussed by E. H. Rowe, and the recommendation of the committee was adopted.

Adopted.—Section six recommended non-concurrence in a memorial from the Norfolk District Conference with reference to regulating the location of churches and parsonages. The recommendation was adopted.

Rejected.—Section seven recommended non-concurrence in a memorial asking that the Discipline be so changed as to make the word "layman," wherever used in the law, to include women, thereby allowing them to sit as lay-members of the General, Annual and Quarterly Conferences, and to hold office as stewards and trustees. W. W. Royall moved to substitute concurrence for non-concurrence. After remarks by W. W. Royall, George P. Adams, Frank Talbott and others, the motion of W. W. Royall to concur prevailed by a vote of 106 to 59. A motion to reconsider the foregoing action was offered by L.G. Crutchfield, and was rejected by a large majority.

Adopted.—Section eight recommended non-concurrence in a memorial of E. H. Powell and C. F. Comer, providing that graduates of our theological seminaries may present certificates of graduation instead of passing through the courses of study in the Conference. The recommendation was adopted.

Adopted.—Section nine recommended non-concurrence in a memorial to authorize an unordained pastor to administer the Lord's Supper. The recommendation was adopted.

Rejected.—Section ten recommended concurrence in a memorial looking to the election of stewards by the Church Conference. The recommendation of the committee was rejected by the Conference.

Adopted.—Section eleven recommended concurrence in a memorial of W. A. Christian and others to secure the removal of the time limit from the pastorate. The recommendation was adopted.

Pending at Adjournment.—Section twelve recommended concurrence in a memorial of James Cannon, Jr., and others, relating to Episcopal Districts and the duties of Bishops. After remarks by J. B. Winn and J. C. C. Newton, pending the discussion, the Conference adjourned.

SIXTH DAY.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1917.

Conference met at 9:30 o'clock this morning, Bishop Collins Denny in the chair. Devotional exercises were conducted by Chas. E. Watts.

The minutes of last night's session were read, amended and approved.

Refused to Reconsider.—R. M. Maxey moved to reconsider the action of Conference at last night's session with reference to the removal of the

time limit from the pastorate, but the Conference refused to reconsider.

Two Preachers Located.—Minute Question, "Who are located this year?" was called; and James B. Douglas and Hadley V. Clarke were granted location at their own request.

Report on Memorials Resumed.—Report No. 2 of the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference, which was pending at adjournment last night, was taken up, and section twelve, consisting of five items, was read, and on motion was taken up seriatim. It was agreed that, for the purposes of discussion on this memorial, each item be considered as a separate subject, and the ten-minutes rule of limitation be applied accordingly.

Item one was discussed by James Cannon, Jr., and adopted.

(Bishop Richard G. Waterhouse took the Chair.)

Item two was discussed by James Cannon, Jr., J. B. Winn, J. C. C. Newton, W. A. Christian and E. H. Rowe, and then was adopted.

(Bishop Denny resumed the Chair.)

Whole Section Adopted.—Items three, four and five of the report were adopted, and then the section as a whole was adopted. (See Appendix III.)

Missions: Report No. 2.—W. W. Royall read report No. 2 of the Board of Missions, and the same was adopted. (See Appendix III.)

Missions: Report No. 3.—C. E. Blankenship, secretary of the Board of Missions, offered Report No. 3 of that Board, requesting the Presiding Bishop to appoint Thomas N. Potts Conference Secretary of Missions, W. L. Murphy Conference Evangelist, and J. W. Dixon Superintendent of the Methodist Institute of Richmond.

Also, to appoint E. T. Dadmun, E. F. Hall, Otis M. Gilliam and Dumas Malone to the work of the Young Men's Christian Association in the Army.

Elected Deacon and Elder.—Also, to appoint James Cannon, III., to Y. M. C. A. work; and in view of the fact that he has been recommended by the General Board of Missions for ordination, and is by the said General Board declared to be an approved candidate for missionary work in the foreign field, it is recommended that he be elected to deacon's and elder's orders. The report also contained the nomination of Thos. S. Southgate for re-election as Conference Lay Leader. The Conference adopted all the recommendations of the report, including the election of James Cannon, III., to deacon's and elder's orders. (See Appendix III.)

Conference Lay Leader.—Minute Question 51, "Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities?" is answered in part by the above action. Answer: Thos. S. Southgate. (For report on Lay Activities see Appendix III.)

Orphanage Report.—A. B. Sharpe read the report of the Trustees of the Virginia Conference Orphanage, and the same was adopted and is as follows: (See Appendix III.)

Rosebud Missionary Society.—Frank Talbott read for information of the Conference the annual statement of the Rosebud Missionary Society. (See Appendix III.)

Entertainment Committee Reports.—The report of the Conference Committee on Entertainment was read by Frank Talbott for the information of Conference. (See Appendix III.)

Next Conference at Charlottesville.—Minute Question 52, "Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?" was called, and answered in accordance of the report of the Conference Committee on Entertainment: Charlottesville.

Virginia Beach Assembly.—D. G. C. Butts, general secretary of the Virginia Beach Methodist Assembly, read a statement of the financial status of that enterprise, as follows: (See Appendix III.)

Afternoon Session Ordered.—On motion of W. A. Christian, it was ordered that an afternoon session of Conference be held, beginning at 3 o'clock.

Nomination Confirmed.—W. J. Twilley, secretary of the Conference Board of Church Extension, nominated E. W. Butcher, Sr., as a member of that Board in place of Richard B. Davis, deceased, and the Conference confirmed the nomination.

Church Extension Report.—The annual report of the Board of Church Extension was then read by W. J. Twilley, and was adopted. (See Appendix III.)

Change in Committee.—J. Callaway Robertson, at his own request, was relieved of further service on the Committee of the Second Year, and Frank L. Wells was appointed in his place.

Ferrum Training School.—B. M. Beckham, Principal of the Ferrum Training School, addressed the Conference, giving some interesting facts and figures concerning the work of that institution.

Our Mountain Work.—W. J. Craddock also made interesting statements about our educational work in the mountain regions of the Conference territory.

Publishing Interests Again.—J. K. Jolliff offered Report No. 2 from the Committee on Publishing Interests, recommending the printing of 3,000 copies of the Conference Annual of 1917. An amendment offered by W. W. Lear, to authorize the Editor to print 3,500 copies, if his judgment approve, was defeated, and then the report was adopted. (See Appendix III.)

Bible Society Report.—The report of the Bible Society Board was read by W. W. Sawyer, and was adopted, and is as follows: (See Appendix III.)

Epworth League Report.—James H. Moss read the report of the Epworth League Board, and it was discussed by M. A. Campbell, after which it was adopted. (See Appendix III.)

Memorials Referred.—J. K. Jolliff presented a memorial to the General Conference, with reference to certain quadrennial boards, and it was referred to the Committee on Memorials.

Fred R. Chenault offered a memorial defining certain duties of Presiding Elders, and it was referred to the Committee on Memorials.

Characters Passed.—Minute Question 22, "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" was again called; and the names of all the preachers in the several Districts were called, one by one (excepting those that had been previously called), and their characters were passed.

District Conference Records.—C. T. Thrift offered the report of the Committee on District Conference Records, which was adopted, and is as follows: (See Appendix III.)

Committee Appointment Changed.—C. E. Blankenship and others offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, that the Committee on Admissions be appointed at the close of each Conference session, to serve during the ensuing Conference year; said committee to consist of one representative from each Presiding Elder's District.

Resolution Referred.—W. B. Jett and others offered a resolution concerning the loan of money by the Board of Education to young men entering our ministry, and it was referred to the Board of Education.

After the announcements, and the singing of a hymn, the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Bishop Denny.

SIXTH DAY.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Conference assembled at 3 o'clock, Bishop Collins Denny in the chair. Devotional exercises were conducted by B. M. Beckham.

The minutes of the morning session were read, amended and approved.

Finance: Report No. 2.—W. A. Christian read Report No. 2 from the Joint Board of Finance, giving the appropriations made by the Board to Conference claimants, and, on motion, it was adopted. (See Appendix III.)

Night Session Ordered.—On motion of W. A. Christian, it was decided to hold a session of the Conference to-night, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Report on Education.—James Cannon, Jr., read the report of the Board of Education, which was discussed by S. C. Hatcher, R. H. Bennett, W. A. Webb, R. E. Blackwell, James Cannon, Jr., and J. C. C. Newton, and then adopted. (See Appendix III.)

Missions: Report No. 4.—C. E. Blankenship offered Report No. 4 from the Board of Missions. L. G. Crutchfield offered an amendment, which was lost, and then, on motion, the report was adopted. (See Appendix III.)

Greeting to Baptists.—On motion of S. L. Dumville, the secretary of the Conference was instructed to send the following fraternal greeting to the Baptist General Association of Virginia, now in session at Roanoke:

"To the Baptist General Association of Virginia: In this time of international conflict, when hearts are being stirred to their depths, when opportunities for Christian service are being multiplied, we gladly join in fraternal greetings to your body, and wish you God-speed. See Jude, verses 24, 25."

Memorials: Report No. 3.—B. T. Candler, from the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference, presented Report No. 3 of that committee, which was adopted without discussion. (See Appendix III.)

Conference then adjourned, to meet at 8 o'clock. Benediction by Bishop Denny.

SIXTH DAY.

EVENING SESSION.

J. C. Reed Presides.—Conference reassembled at 8 o'clock, with James C. Reed in the chair by appointment of the Bishop. Devotional services were conducted by Richard Ferguson.

Announcements From Mission Board.—C. E. Blankenship, Secretary of the Board of Missions, gave notice that applications for advance payments

on missionary appropriations must be made hereafter to the Secretary of the Board, and not to the President. He also stated that the Virginia Conference has raised more than a quarter of a million of dollars for Missions this year. Responding to this good news, the Conference sang with great fervor, "Praise God, from whom all blessings flow."

Emory University.—W. Asbury Christian, commissioner of Emory University, addressed the Conference with reference to that institution, stating that, in spite of adverse conditions, he had secured subscriptions amounting to \$15,000 during the year.

Free Will Offering.—With the consent of the Conference, S. C. Hatcher took an offering for the relief of John Hannon, A. C. Jordan, McDaniel Rucker and L. C. Shearer, who have been placed on the superannuate list at this session of the Conference. The subscription amounted to \$1,400.

Temperance Report.—James Cannon, Jr., read an interesting discussion of the Temperance situation in the State and country, and then presented the report of the Committee on Temperance and Other Social Reforms in the shape of a series of resolutions.

John O. Moss moved to strike out of the report that part which requests the appointment of J. Sidney Peters as State Commissioner of Prohibition. After some discussion, the motion to strike out was rejected, and the report of the committee was adopted, and is as follows: (See Appendix III.)

At this point the minutes of the afternoon session were read and approved.

Commissioner Peters Speaks.—On motion of James Cannon, Jr., J. S. Peters was invited to address the Conference upon his work as Commissioner of Prohibition, which he did in a very impressive manner.

Janitor Remembered.—An offering was taken for the janitor of Court Street Church, in which the present Conference has been held, and the sum realized was \$22.80.

Resolutions of Thanks.—W. W. Royall and John O. Moss offered the following resolutions of thanks, which were adopted by a standing vote: (See Appendix III.)

Statistics Presented.—Minute Questions 23 to 50, inclusive, were called, and the Joint Board of Finance, through S. J. Battin, statistical secretary, made answer, giving the statistics required by the Discipline. (See General Minutes.)

Changes in Boundaries.—A list of changes in circuit boundaries, as arranged by the Bishop and the Presiding Elders, was read, and is as follows: (See Appendix III.)

Committee on Admissions Appointed.—In accordance with the previous action of the Conference, the following were appointed a Committee on Admissions, to serve till the close of the next annual session: L. H. Early, W. B. Jett, J. W. Gee, H. J. Paylor, C. R. James, J. M. Rowland, N. B. Foushee, J. W. Moore, B. E. Hudson and R. M. White.

Appointments and Adjournment.—The minutes of this evening's session were read and approved. And then, after the singing of a hymn, Bishop Denny read the appointments for the coming year, in answer to Minute Question 53, "Where are the preachers stationed this year?" (see Appendix I.) and the Conference reached final adjournment.

GENERAL MINUTES.

1. Who are admitted on trial?

Answer: Benjamin B. Bland, James Cannon, III., Elwood R. Crawley, Millard F. Draper, John Marshall, R. Bayard Proctor, and Chas. L. Stillwell.

2. Who remain on trial?

Answer: In the class of the first year—Henry P. Anker, Leonard R. Black, Otis L. Gilliam and Dumas Malone. In the class of the second year—Richard R. Burnett, William K. Cunningham, James U. Edwards, Wade H. Fletcher, Harvey A. Glauss, William O. Gordon, Edgar G. Hill, Zebulon V. Johnston, George H. I. Mayo, Laxton C. Smart, Chester A. Tucker and Bernard S. Via. In the class of the third year—Edward M. Higginbotham.

3. Who are discontinued?

Answer: Chas. W. Moss.

4. Who are admitted into full connection?

Answer: Edgar W. Davis, Joseph S. Gresham, Leon W. Hendrickson, Chas. L. Salmon and Chas. T. Harrell.

5. Who are readmitted?

Answer: None.

6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?

Answer: James W. Moore, an elder of the Holston Conference, and Wallace R. Evans, an elder of the Florida Conference.

7. Who are received from other churches as local preachers?

Answer: None.

8. Who are received from other churches as traveling preachers?

Answer: None.

9. Who are the deacons of one year?

Answer: Wm. J. Boyd, Leslie F. Callaham, J. A. Chapman, J. J. Clarke, T. Maynard De Shazo, W. S. Deyerle, J. L. Finch, L. S. Flournoy, W. H. Hantzmon, Chas. T. Harrell, E. M. Higginbotham, T. G. Laughon, E. B. Loving, C. H. McNeil, H. D. Mollart, H. W. Neville, W. P. Province, H. P. Read, A. W. Roten, A. L. Stevenson and S. W. Wilkinson.

10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons?

Answer: Edgar W. Davis and Chas. L. Salmon.

11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?

Answer: Edgar W. Davis and Chas. L. Salmon.

12. What local preachers are elected deacons?

Answer: Joseph M. Batten and Elwood R. Crawley.

13. What local preachers are ordained deacons?

Answer: Elwood R. Crawley.

14. What traveling preachers are elected elders?

Answer: James E. Avery, Jr., Fred. R. Chenault, Wm. H. Grubbs, Orson B. Newton, Bart. D. Stephens, Henry T. Todd and Aden P. Williams.

15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders?

Answer: James E. Avery, Jr., Fred. R. Chenault, Orson B. Newton, Henry T. Todd and Aden P. Williams.

16. What local preachers are elected elders?

Answer: None.

17. What local preachers are ordained elders?

Answer: None.

18. Who are located this year.

Answer: James B. Douglas and Hadley V. Clarke.

19. Who are supernumerary?

Answer: John M. Burton, J. E. McCartney, E. L. Pell, E. J. Potts, and H. P. Read.

20. Who are superannuated?

Answer: W. G. Bates, Sr., P. M. Bell, A. C. Berryman, C. H. Boggs, H. C. Bowles, C. W. Cain, S. W. Day, T. P. Duke, C. H. Green, J. R. Gill, W. H. Gregory, Jno. Hannon, B. S. Herrick, A. C. Jordan, W. P. Jordan, W. E. Judkins, S. S. Lambeth, W. A. Laughon, J. E. McSparran, Jas. O. Moss, J. E. Oyler, E. P. Parham, J. W. Parrish, N. J. Pruden, W. H. Riddick, McDaniel Rucker, L. C. Shearer, J. R. Sturgis, W. A. Tompkins, D. J. Traynham, Chas. W. Turner, W. J. Twilley, Chas. E. Watts, C. C. Wertenbaker, J. T. Whitley and Jno. P. Woodward.

21. What preachers have died during the past year?

Answer: Lewis B. Betty, W. H. Camper, W. R. Crowder, Samuel R. Drewry, Bascom Dey, Jno. Q. Rhodes and Wm. V. Tudor.

22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

Answer: Their names were called, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Answer: Local preachers, 83; Members, 129,823.

24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training?

Answer: Licensed 10. Names and addresses furnished in part.

25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training?

Answer: Candidates 5. Names and addresses furnished in part.

26. How many infants have been baptized during the year?

Answer: 967.

27. How many adults have been baptized during the year?

Answer: 4,351.

28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues?

Answer: 120.

29. What is the number of Epworth League Members?

Answer: 5,208.

30. What is the number of Sunday Schools?

Answer: 840.

31. What is the number of Sunday School officers and teachers?

Answer: 10,189.

32. What is the number of Sunday School scholars enrolled during the Conference year?

Answer: 105,716.

33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers?

Answer: \$30,000.

34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied?

Answer: On assessment, \$26,626; Hall Fund, \$161.76; Calvin Bequest, \$27; Publishing House, \$850; Superannuate Endowment Fund, \$660; Total, \$28,324.76. Applied to claimants, \$26,549.64; to Superannuate Endowment Fund, \$1,775.12.

35. What has been contributed for Missions?

Answer: Foreign, \$73,714.36; Home and Conference, \$35,423.55; Woman's Missionary Society, \$46,529; Rosebuds, \$6,864; Ferrum Training School, \$17,062.99; total, \$179,593.90.

36. What has been contributed for Church Extension?

Answer: \$17,802.05.

37. What has been contributed for Education?

Answer: For Educational Extension, \$6,674.44; Randolph-Macon College, \$10,109.16; total \$16,783.60.

38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society?

Answer: \$2,971.89.

39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge?

Answer: Presiding elders, \$24,920; Preachers in charge, \$289,113.

40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops?

Answer: \$4,533.

41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them?

Answer: Number of societies, 840; number of houses of worship, 837.

42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?

Answer: Value, \$4,135,293; indebtedness, \$322,901.

43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them?

Answer: Pastoral charges, 274; number of parsonages, 233.

44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?

Value, \$703,500; indebtedness, \$54,434.

45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages?

Answer: Number of districts, 10; number of district parsonages, 5.

46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?

Answer: Value, \$28,000; indebtedness, \$6,000.

47. **What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage?**
Answer: Number of churches damaged, 6; number of parsonages damaged, 1; amount of damage, \$689.
48. **What are the insurance statistics?**
Answer: Insurance carried, \$2,041,601; premiums paid, \$8,819; losses sustained, \$3,368; collections on losses, \$321.
49. **What are the educational statistics?**
Answer: See report of Board of Education.
50. **How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken?**
Answer: General organ, 355; Conference organ, 4,245.
51. **Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities?**
Answer: T. S. Southgate. For report see Journal, Appendix III.
52. **Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?**
Answer: At Charlottesville, Va.
53. **Where are the preachers stationed this year?**
Answer: See Appointments, Journal, Appendix I.

APPENDIX I.—APPOINTMENTS.

	Years on the Charge
CHARLOTTESVILLE DISTRICT.....	B. F. Lipscomb, P. E., 1
1. Albemarle.....	J. E. Hearn, 2
2. Amherst.....	J. M. Greene, 1
3. Batesville.....	T. G. Pullen, 1
4. Brightwood.....	E. W. Somerville, supply, 2
5. Charlottesville—First Church.....	J. K. Jolliff, 2
6. Hinton Avenue.....	Asa Driscoll, 1
7. Crozet.....	L. W. Hendrickson, 1
8. Culpeper.....	W. W. Lear, 2; J. M. Burton, supernumerary.
9. Culpeper Circuit.....	W. H. Grubbs, 4
10. East Albemarle.....	J. B. Pettus, supply, 2
11. Fluvanna.....	J. B. Lavinder, 3
12. Gordonsville.....	Frank Burruss, 4
13. Greene.....	H. J. Brown, 3
14. Louisa.....	L. H. Early, 1
15. Madison and Mountain Mission.....	T. O. Edwards, 3
16. Monroe.....	W. P. Province, 1
17. Mount Pleasant.....	C. V. Steininger, 1
18. Nelson.....	C. H. Fielding, 2
19. Orange.....	O. M. Clarke, 2
20. Rapidan.....	H. V. Shenton, 1
21. Rappahannock.....	W. A. Orser, 2
22. Scottsville.....	L. L. Banks, 3
23. South Amherst.....	C. L. Salmon, 3
24. South Nelson.....	G. C. Coates, supply, 1
25. West Amherst.....	E. R. Crawley, 1
26. West Goochland.....	E. M. Higginbotham, 1
27. West Hanover.....	G. H. I. Mayo, 1
Missionary to Japan.....	T. H. Haden.
Missionary to Korea.....	C. T. Collyer.
Field Agent Conference Orphanage (Orange Q. C.).....	J. W. Bledsoe.
Professor Emory University (First Church Q. C.).....	W. A. Smart.
Student Emory University (First Church Q. C.).....	B. S. Via.
DANVILLE DISTRICT.....	S. J. Brown, P. E., 3
28. Cascade.....	A. W. Linthicum, 2
29. Chatham.....	O. B. Newton, 2
30. Danville—Cabell Street Memorial.....	W. B. Jett, 3
31. Calvary.....	C. T. Thrift, 1
32. Grace.....	Ralph J. Yow, supply, 1
33. Main Street.....	J. N. Latham, 3
34. Mount Vernon.....	G. H. Spooner, 3

35. Schoolfield.....John Marshall, 2
 36. Sledd Memorial.....C. T. Harrell, 3
 37. Danville Circuit.....O. L. Haga, 1
 38. East Franklin.....Roy Moore, 2
 39. East Halifax.....J. W. Wimbish, supply, 3
 40. Ferrum.....J. W. Bouldin, 3
 41. Franklin.....E. G. Kilgore, supply, 1
 42. Henry.....C. C. Jones, 2
 43. Hyco.....E. W. Elliott, 2
 44. Martinsville.....W. R. Proctor, 2
 45. North Patrick.....W. J. Craddock, supply, 7
 46. Patrick.....J. J. Clarke, 1
 47. Pittsylvania.....G. T. Kesler, 3
 48. Rocky Mount.....J. R. Eggleston, 1
 49. South Boston.....J. T. Allen, 3
 50. South Franklin.....J. R. Bradshaw, supply, 1
 51. South Halifax.....M. M. Leggett, 2
 52. Stuart and Wayside.....A. P. Williams, 2
 53. West Franklin.....T. Roy Jarrett, supply, 1
 Principal Ferrum Training School (Ferrum Q. C.)....B. M. Beckham.
 Financial Agent Ferrum Training School (Rocky Mount Q. C.)
 J. W. Carroll.
 Secretary Laymen's Missionary Movement (Main Street Q. C.)
 W. B. Beauchamp.
 Missionary to Africa.....H. P. Anker.

- EASTERN SHORE DISTRICT.....J. F. Carey, P. E., 4
 54. Accomac.....J. C. Harry, 4
 55. Allen.....A. L. Stevenson, 1
 56. Andrew Chapel.....W. H. Fletcher, 4
 57. Atlantic.....J. T. Moore, 1
 58. Guilford, Bloxom and St. Thomas.....G. W. Watkins, 2
 59. Broadwater and Bethel.....L. C. Moore, 2
 60. Broadwater Mission.....To be supplied.
 61. Cambridge.....H. W. Dunkley, 3
 62. Cambridge Circuit.....J. T. Sewell, 1
 63. Cape Charles.....E. A. Potts, 1
 64. Capeville.....P. M. Hank, 3
 65. Cheriton.....R. L. Busby, 1
 66. Craddockville and Belle Haven.....W. A. Wright, 1
 67. Dorchester.....C. L. Stillwell, 1
 68. Franktown and Johnson's.....J. W. Gee, 3
 69. Keller.....C. H. Kidd, 3
 70. Onancock.....C. C. Bell, 1
 71. Onley, Locustville and Melfa.....C. H. Williams, 4
 72. Pocomoke.....D. W. Jackson, 2
 73. Pungoteague.....J. D. Hosier, 1
 74. Salisbury.....H. W. Davis, 3; one to be supplied.

75. South Dorchester.....H. L. Hastings, supply, 1
 76. Saint Martin's.....W. S. Brown, 2
 77. Wachapreague and Smith's Chapel.....C. A. Campbell, 1
 Missionary to Japan.....J. C. C. Newton.
 Missionary to Korea.....V. R. Turner.
 Conference Secretary of Missions (Salisbury Q. C.).....T. N. Potts.

- FARMVILLE DISTRICT.....H. C. Pfeiffer, P. E., 4
 78. Amelia.....H. L. Weston, 2; E. J. Potts, supernumerary.
 79. Blackstone.....C. O. Tuttle, 2
 80. Boydton.....H. E. Johnson, 4
 81. Buckingham.....J. E. Daniel, 4
 82. Burkeville.....To be supplied.
 83. Cartersville.....J. S. Maxey, 2
 84. Charlotte.....S. W. Wilkinson, 3
 85. Chase City.....H. J. Paylor, 1
 86. Clarksville.....Ernest Stevens, 1
 87. Crewe.....C. E. Blankenship, 1
 88. Cumberland.....C. W. Leftwich, 2
 89. East Nottoway.....C. F. Comer, 3
 90. Farmville.....J. T. Bosman, 2
 91. Kenbridge.....H. C. Gregory, 2
 92. Lunenburg.....R. O. Payne, 3
 93. North Mecklenburg.....W. Y. Scales, 1
 94. Nottoway.....B. B. Bland, 1
 95. Powhatan.....T. H. Stimpson, supply, 1
 96. Prince Edward.....W. G. Bates, Jr., 2
 97. Prospect.....J. M. Moser, 1
 98. South Charlotte.....O. L. Martin, supply, 3
 99. Trinity.....J. L. Pribble, 2
 100. Victoria.....W. H. Hantzmon, 1
 101. West Buckingham.....R. L. Fruit, 4
 President Blackstone College for Girls, Editor Baltimore and Richmond Christian Advocate, Superintendent Anti-Saloon League of Virginia, Secretary of Education, and Superintendent Southern Assembly (Blackstone Q. C.).....James Cannon, Jr.
 Commissioner of Prohibition (Blackstone Q. C.).....J. S. Peters.
 Secretary Army Y. M. C. A. (Prospect Q. C.).....E. F. Hall.
 Secretary Army Y. M. C. A. (Blackstone Q. C.).....James Cannon, III.

- LYNCHBURG DISTRICT.....W. T. Green, P. E., 2
 102. Alta Vista.....E. W. Davis, 1
 103. Appomattox.....L. F. Callaham, 2
 104. Appomattox Circuit.....A. S. J. Rice, 2
 105. Bedford City.....J. C. Reed, 1
 106. Bedford Circuit.....R. L. Wingfield, 1
 107. Bedford Springs.....J. W. Lillaston, 2
 108. Brookneal.....W. C. Harris, 2
 109. Campbell.....W. L. Jones, 2

150. Zion.....J. H. Moss, 1
 151. North Princess Anne.....R. S. Baughan, 1
 152. Oaklette and Campostella.....J. S. Wallace, 3
 153. Ocean View.....L. A. Smith, 3
 154. Princess Anne.....G. B. King, 3
 155. South Norfolk.....T. W. Ogden, 1
 156. South Princess Anne.....J. H. Holloway, 3
 157. York.....A. B. Warwick, supply, 1
 Chaplain to Seamen (LeKies Q. C.).....J. T. Routten.
 Field Secretary Children's Home Society of Virginia (Epworth Q. C.)
 C. E. Pleasants.
 Secretary Army Y. M. C. A. (Memorial Q. C.).....E. T. Dadmun.
- PETERSBURG DISTRICT.....M. S. Colonna, P. E., 1
 158. Brunswick.....J. U. Edwards, 1
 159. Chester and Ivey Memorial.....W. T. Williams, 3
 160. Chesterfield.....G. M. Bishop, supply, 3
 161. City Point.....R. B. Scott, 1
 162. Dinwiddie.....W. W. Sawyer, 2
 163. East Dinwiddie.....R. H. Marks, 1
 164. Emporia.....J. H. Light, 2
 165. Ettrick.....W. C. Pace, 1
 166. Greenesville.....Richard Ferguson, 2
 167. Hopewell.....C. A. Tucker, 3
 168. Lawrenceville.....N. B. Foushee, 2
 169. Matoaca.....W. H. Euston, supply, 1
 170. Mecklenburg.....J. T. Payne, 2
 171. Petersburg—Blandford.....W. J. Watt, 1
 172. High Street.....R. T. Waterfield, 1
 173. Market Street.....L. T. Williams, 2
 174. Memorial.....E. V. Carson, 2
 175. Washington Street,
 J. B. Winn, 3; H. P. Myers, Junior Preacher, 1
 176. Wesley.....T. J. C. Heath, 1
 177. Prince George.....L. J. Phaup, 2
 178. South Brunswick.....J. E. DeShazo, 4; one to be supplied.
 179. South Chesterfield.....J. D. Burford, supply, 1
 180. South Dinwiddie.....H. A. Glauss, 1
 181. South Hill.....J. W. Stiff, 3
 182. Surry.....J. E. White, 1
 183. Sussex.....E. B. Loving, 1
 184. Wakefield.....W. L. Ware, 3
 185. Waverly.....John O. Moss, 3
 186. West Brunswick.....J. E. Brooks, 3
 187. West Chesterfield.....R. B. Clagett, supply, 1
 188. West Dinwiddie.....H. H. Smith, 3

PORTSMOUTH AND NEWPORT NEWS DISTRICT.

		W. H. Edwards, P. E., 2
189.	Benn's.....	E. H. Powell, 4
190.	Boykin's.....	Porter Hardy, 1
191.	Capron.....	J. W. Marsh, 3
192.	Churchland and West Norfolk.....	N. A. Page, 4
193.	Crittenden.....	O. M. Blackwell, supply, 1
194.	Franklin—High Street.....	R. M. Chandler, 4
195.	Gilmerton Circuit.....	J. A. Sawyer, supply, 3
196.	Isle of Wight.....	H. T. Todd, 2
197.	Newsom's.....	W. R. Evans, 1
198.	Newport News—Chestnut Avenue.....	W. L. Murphy, 1
199.	Grace.....	J. K. Walker, 1
200.	Trinity.....	J. A. Thomas, 3
		G. T. Forrester, Junior Preacher, 1
201.	Norfolk Circuit.....	W. A. S. Conrad, 1
202.	Portsmouth—Broad Street.....	G. W. Wray, 3
203.	Central.....	S. A. Donahoe, 4
204.	Cottage Place.....	E. K. Odell, 1
205.	Elm Avenue.....	W. F. Hayes, 1
206.	Monumental,	
		J. W. Moore, 1; Starke Jett, Junior Preacher, 1
207.	Park View.....	J. A. Chapman, 1
208.	Wright Memorial.....	V. W. Bargamin, 2
209.	Smithfield.....	W. H. Atwill, 2
210.	Southampton.....	W. L. Burks, 3
211.	Suffolk—Main Street.....	J. A. Winn, 2
212.	Oxford.....	G. F. Greene, 2
213.	Whaleyville and Somerton.....	A. A. Whitmore, 2
214.	Williamsburg.....	J. R. Laughton, 2
215.	Windsor.....	A. N. Lewis, 3
	Secretary Army Y. M. C. A. (Benn's Q. C.).....	O. L. Gilliam.
	Secretary Army Y. M. C. A. (Chestnut Ave. Q. C.)....	S. O. Wright.

RAPPAHANNOCK DISTRICT.....R. F. Gayle, P. E., 1

216.	Bethany.....	C. E. Green, 1
217.	Colonial Beach and Grace.....	B. D. Stephens, 2
218.	East Mathews.....	W. G. Burch, 1
219.	East Middlesex.....	W. J. Boyd, 2
220.	Essex.....	J. C. Beasley, supply, 1
221.	Gloucester.....	R. T. Clarke, 2
222.	Gloucester Point.....	C. H. McNeil, 2
223.	Heathsville.....	T. G. Laughon, 1
224.	Henderson Station.....	S. E. Lucas, 3
225.	Irvington and Kilmarnock.....	F. E. H. McLean, 1
226.	King George.....	J. J. Gregory, supply, 1
227.	King and Queen.....	J. W. Arthur, supply, 1

228.	Lancaster.....	E. G. Hill, 2
229.	Mathews.....	B. E. Hudson, 2
230.	Middlesex.....	R. V. Owen, supply, 2
231.	Montross.....	To be supplied.
232.	New Kent.....	J. W. Heckman, 2
233.	Richmond Circuit.....	F. W. England, 1
234.	Shackelford's.....	W. E. Grant, 3
235.	Toano.....	H. W. Neville, 1
236.	Urbanna.....	H. P. Balderson, 3
237.	West Lancaster.....	J. B. Askew, 1
238.	West Mathews.....	L. D. Stables, 4
239.	Westmoreland.....	E. H. Hopkins, 2
240.	West Point.....	To be supplied.
241.	Whitestone.....	W. A. Jeffreys, 1

	RICHMOND DISTRICT.....	R. H. Potts, P. E., 2
242.	Ashland.....	G. C. Kelly, 1
243.	Ashland Circuit.....	N. C. Rice, supply, 2
244.	Bowling Green.....	L. C. Smart, 1
245.	Caroline.....	S. H. Johnson, 1
246.	Charles City.....	M. F. Draper, 2
247.	Goochland.....	J. E. Avery, Jr., 1
248.	Hanover.....	W. S. Deyerle, 4
249.	Henrico.....	G. R. Rood, 1
250.	King William.....	F. R. Holland, supply, 1
251.	Richmond—Asbury and Oakland.....	W. O. Gordon, 1
		C. H. Smith, supply, Junior Preacher, 2
252.	Barton Heights.....	F. B. McSparran, 1
253.	Branch Memorial.....	P. J. Murdock, supply, 1
254.	Broad Street.....	F. R. Chenault, 3
255.	Centenary.....	T. A. Smoot, 4
256.	Central.....	R. M. Maxey, 2
257.	Clay Street.....	G. H. Newbury, 2
258.	Decatur Street.....	S. L. Dumville, 2
259.	Denny Street.....	R. N. Hartness, 2
260.	Epworth.....	C. E. Johnson, 2
261.	Fairmount Avenue and Chelsea Hill.....	L. T. Hitt, 2
262.	Fulton Hill.....	W. K. Cunningham, 2
263.	Ginter Park.....	L. S. Flournoy, 1
264.	Grace.....	J. G. Unruh, 1
265.	Highland Park.....	R. M. White, 2
266.	Highland Springs.....	H. D. Mollart, 4
267.	Laurel Street.....	W. G. Boggs, 2
		J. E. McCartney, supernumerary.
268.	Monument.....	G. H. Lambeth, 2
		E. L. Pell, supernumerary.
269.	Park Place and Orphanage.....	W. E. Thompson, 2
270.	Saint James.....	W. T. A. Haynes, 1

271. Saint Paul's.....T. E. Johnson, 1
 272. Trinity and Mission..B. T. Candler, 1; J. W. Dixon, 6
 273. Union Station.....F. G. Davis, 1
 274. West End.....A. L. Carson, 1
 275. Woodland Heights.....R. B. Proctor, 1
 276. Spottsylvania.....S. H. Pulliam, supply, 1
 Professor in Emory University (Centenary Q. C.).....W. J. Young.
 Superintendent Anti-Saloon League of Tennessee
 (Barton Heights, Q. C.).....J. D. McAlister.
 Foreign Secretary of Missions (Centenary Q. C.)...E. H. Rawlings.
 Vice-President and Secretary-Treasurer of Randolph-
 Macon College (Ashland Q. C.).....S. C. Hatcher.
 Superintendent of Teacher Training (Broad Street Q. C.)
 J. W. Shackford.
 Principal Southern Seminary (Bowling Green Q. C.)....E. H. Rowe.
 Secretary State Board of Charities and Corrections
 (Trinity Q. C.).....J. T. Mastin.
 Field Agent Publishing House (Ashland Q. C.).....J. S. Hunter.
 Commissioner of Emory University (Union Station Q. C.)
 W. A. Christian.
 Superintendent Conference Orphanage (Park Place Q. C.)
 A. B. Sharpe.
 Superintendent Masonic Home of Virginia (Park Place Q. C.)
 G. H. McFaden.
 Chaplain U. S. Army (Centenary Q. C.).....G. W. M. Taylor.
 Chaplain U. S. Army (Grace Q. C.).....J. B. Peters.
 Transferred: H. F. Turner to the Baltimore Conference.

APPENDIX II.—MEMOIRS

REV. WILLIAM V. TUDOR, D. D.

BY JAMES R. LAUGHTON.

William Vanbergan Tudor was born in Baltimore, Maryland, May 3, 1832. He was a son of John and Sarah Tudor. He was converted in boyhood in Baltimore, and united with the Church at the age of thirteen. He graduated from Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania. After graduation he was Professor of Languages for several years in the Academy at Alexandria, Virginia. He was licensed to preach in 1854 in Alexandria, and was admitted on trial into the Baltimore Conference, M. E. Church, in March, 1855.

Dr. Tudor served Summerfield, Severn, and Loudoun circuits, and Baltimore City station. During the War between the States he was pastor in Cambridge, Maryland. After the war he was pastor, in 1865, of the Independent Methodist church in Washington, D. C. The next year this church re-entered the Southern Connection by joining the Baltimore Conference of the M. E. Church, South. Dr. Tudor was continued as pastor. During this pastorate the present Mount Vernon Place church was erected. The Official Board of Mount Vernon Place has written into its records the church's appreciation of his service as its first pastor in those days of peculiar trial:

"As the father, founder and first pastor of our church, which was for many years the only representative of our branch of Methodism in the National Capital, and has since become god-mother to some half a dozen strong and growing congregations, he wrote into its early history a story of devoted and faithful service that will ever stand as a monument to his goodness and greatness. His splendid tact, sound common sense, genial personality, and superb leadership in the trying days following the Civil War, did more than all else to make Mount Vernon Place church possible."

At the laying of the corner-stone of our Representative Church in Washington on October 8th last, a copy of the "Christian Advocate" containing tributes to the life and memory of Dr. Tudor was among the articles placed in the corner-stone. That most impressive and artistic church building in our National Capital, representing Southern Methodism, stands as the perfect expression of the work begun by its distinguished founder and first pastor.

After five years of service in Washington, in 1871 Dr. Tudor was transferred to the Louisiana Conference and stationed at Carondelet Street church, New Orleans, which was the leading Methodist church of that city. He was pastor there for four years. From there he was transferred to St. Louis, where he served Centenary church for two quadrenniums, St. John's church for two years, and the St. Louis District for two years as Presiding Elder.

Dr. Tudor served Immanuel church, Baltimore, for two months. In 1886 he was transferred to the Virginia Conference and stationed at Granby Street church, Norfolk, now Epworth, where he remained four years. He then served Broad Street church, Richmond, four years; Cumberland Street church, Norfolk, one year; and Centenary church, Richmond, four years. He was Presiding Elder of West Richmond District and of Richmond District for four years each. He closed his active ministry as pastor of Branch Memorial and Highland Springs, Richmond. He entered upon the superannuate relation in 1908, and spent the remaining years of his useful life in Washington, D. C., in the home from which Mrs. Tudor had gone forth as a bride. They worshiped in the church of which he was the founder and first pastor.

On January 5th last, death claimed him after an illness of ten days. His last words were an expression of the hope that the Northern and Southern branches of Methodism would speedily come together. The funeral was conducted from the Mount Vernon Place church which he loved so well. The

church was draped as a token of affection and esteem. A large congregation gathered to pay its tribute of love. His pastor writes: "A ray of sunshine found its way into the church and rested upon his flower-covered casket. It was symbolic of his life and of his faith." The service was opened with that Christian hymn of triumphant victory:

"Servant of God, well done!
Rest from thy loved employ;
The battle fought, the victory won,
Enter thy Master's joy."

Dr. Tudor was married September 21, 1871, to Miss Minnesota Morsell of Washington, who survives him. Their devotion was beautiful. Their home life was ideal. Centenary College conferred upon Dr. Tudor the degree of D. D. He was a member of two General Conferences, held at Memphis and Nashville.

Sixty-two years a Methodist preacher—fifty-four of them spent in active service in the pastorate and presiding eldership! What a stretch of glorious opportunities for serving God! Well did Dr. Tudor use those opportunities. His was truly a great ministry. His pulpit ability was recognized throughout Southern Methodism. Many were the demands upon his time and talents for baccalaureate sermons, addresses, camp meetings, and other public services.

Dr. Tudor's stately bearing made his presence distinguished in any company. A young man expressed to me many years ago his impression of him, saying, "He looks like a Roman senator." He was a marked figure as he walked the crowded thoroughfares. People often turned to look at him and to enquire who he was.

He conducted himself in the pulpit and on the platform as one born to address assemblies. Nature did much for him. His was a sound mind in a sound body. Though not above medium height, his figure was sturdy and full. He was heavy-shouldered, deep-chested, and erect. His leonine head crowned with gray hair, almost white, gave him an impressive appearance. His eyes were large, luminous, and very expressive under their shaggy brows. His mouth was large, wide, and flexible, with thin, firm lips—the mouth of an orator. His forehead was broad and full, his features rugged. His voice was heavy, resonant, and under splendid control. It never or rarely tired. Not particularly pleasing at the start, it developed a silvery music, ringing out frequently in clarion tones.

Dr. Tudor was an orator by nature and training. In delivery he was animated, picturesque, energetic, often highly dramatic, at times torrential, always eloquent and effective. Sometimes he would almost lose himself in the vehement rush of thought and feeling, rising to the abandon of consummate passion. He could carry a sustained tension of oratory better than almost any speaker I ever heard. The pulpit was his throne of power. He maintained it royally.

Dr. Tudor prepared his discourses with elaborate care. They were ornate. He wrote on them a great deal, writing them almost if not entirely in full, and memorizing largely. He never used manuscript or notes in speaking. His advice to young preachers was to write much. His sermons were finished products. Their thought and diction were lofty, at times sublime. His handling of rhetoric was the handling of a master. His imagery was vivid, often wonderful. He was gifted with a fine imagination which he diligently cultivated. In preaching he moved among the sublimities. He was especially happy when his flights went out into the eternities. He delighted in the great things of the gospel. He loved to preach its great themes.

His style of preaching appealed to the young. Young men in the literary societies used him as a model, imitating his manner and movements. After a sermon that he preached at Randolph-Macon College during my student days there, the boys on the campus were enthusiastic over his eloquence,

quoting some of the striking passages of his discourse. His style of preaching was a style that is disappearing. It belonged to an older school of eloquence in Church and State, in the pulpit and on the forum. Its passing is a distinct loss.

Although Dr. Tudor was thoroughly at home before an audience, appearing not to experience a tremor of diffidence, he once told me that he never entered the pulpit without heartily envying the person on the rear seat. The fearful responsibility of preaching the Gospel almost overwhelmed him. Such was the child-like simplicity—to those who knew him—of this truly great man and preacher.

This simplicity became more marked with increasing years. Always kind, sympathetic, tender, he became more so with age. His pastor, Dr. E. K. Hardin, writes:

"The closing years of Dr. Tudor's life were most beautiful. He grew old gracefully, and the graces of the Christian life seemed to us who were constantly with him to have well-nigh reached perfection in him. How the young people loved him! It was a common sight on Sunday after service to see him in the center of an admiring group. His almost reverential courtesy toward women made other men better. He had the pastor's instinct and showed splendid tactfulness in keeping the highest before others. After a pleasant evening socially he would call the assembled company to prayer, and then pour out his heart to God in such a way as that the fragrance of his prayers will abide in those homes for years to come.

"This man dwelt in the secret place of the Most High. He abode under the shadow of the Almighty. Consequently the influence which went out from his life was one that caused men to be conscious of God. Death was gain for him, because to him to live was Christ."

To Dr. Tudor may well be applied Thackeray's splendid estimate of one of his noblest characters:

"All the poor, all the humble, all honest folks, all good men who knew him, loved that kind-hearted and simple gentleman."

Dr. W. W. Royall, of our Conference, wrote in our general organ in regard to him:

"Soon after my return from China I served one of his former charges, and on meeting him I at once felt the warmth of his kindly heart."

Of Dr. Tudor it may truly be said as was said of William the Silent by the historian Motley:

"When he died the little children cried in the streets."

While writing this memoir I have felt in a peculiar sense the presence of my friend and former pastor. He has seemed with me again. Our relations were intimate. He was my father in the Gospel. He regarded me as his son in the ministry. I cherish tenderly letters that he wrote me with unfaltering hand almost to the end of his life.

"I cannot feel that thou art far,
Since near at need the angels are;
And when the sunset gates unbar
Shall I not see thee waiting stand,
And, white against the evening star,
The welcome of thy beckoning hand?"

Farewell, dear friend and counselor of my youth, until we embrace on the Strand Celestial in the Life Everlasting.

"The pains of death are past,
Labor and sorrow cease;
And, life's long warfare closed at last,
His soul is found in peace.
Soldier of Christ, well done!
Praise be thy new employ;
And while eternal ages run,
Rest in thy Saviour's joy."

REV. WILLIAM H. CAMPER

BY J. WILEY BLEDSOE.

William Henry Camper was born at Fincastle, Botetourt County, Virginia, July 18th, 1836. His parents were John Camper and Mary Jane, his wife. In response to the call of God, he passed to the spirit world on January 29th, 1917, in the 81st year of his age.

Brother Camper was reared in a Christian home, and under wholesome religious influences. The impressions thus received led him early in life to accept Christ as his Savior, and later on in response to the Divine call to dedicate himself to the work of the ministry. He joined the Virginia Conference in 1859, at the session held in Lynchburg. Of those who were then members only six remain to-day. He was true to his calling, serving his church with fidelity and success. On the charges to which he was assigned he was always acceptable, and highly appreciated in his pulpit ministrations and in his work as pastor. After a few years, however, he developed a disease of the throat, which seriously affected his vocal organs, and made it necessary for him to discontinue active work in the ministry. He was given a supernumerary relation to the Conference, and in this relation he continued till his death.

As a preacher Brother Camper was logical, forceful, and clear. He sought to present the gospel in its purity and simplicity. He loved the methods and forms of worship familiar to the Methodists in former days, and was slow to accept any departure therefrom. As a citizen he was honored and respected. For forty years he was a member of the public school board in Orange, and rendered valuable service in developing and improving the system of public instruction in his county. He was a man of strong convictions; frank, candid, earnest; of inflexible integrity and unswerving loyalty to what he conceived to be the right.

Brother Camper was blessed with a pious, cultured, and consecrated wife, formerly Miss Mary C. Jerdone, of Orange, Va., to whom he was married Dec. 18, 1866. She still survives him; also one brother, N. L. Camper, of Richmond, Va.; five sons, four daughters, and quite a number of grandchildren. In the home life of our brother, the virtues and beauties of our holy religion were exemplified. The children were trained in the nurture and admonition of the Lord, and are consistent and faithful members of the Methodist Church.

With an untarnished record, and in the enjoyment of the full confidence and esteem of his numerous friends and neighbors, he obeyed the summons, and doubtless found a welcome awaiting him on the bright and eternal shore. His funeral was conducted by the writer, assisted by Rev. Otis M. Clarke, pastor of Orange circuit, at the Methodist church in Orange, where he had long worshipped and served as Sunday school superintendent. A large concourse of people attended the services. Loving hands laid to rest his mortal remains in the quiet cemetery at Orange, there to await the call of the resurrection morn.

"Servant of God, well done!
Rest from thy loved employ;
The battle fought, the victory won,
Enter thy Master's joy.

"The pains of death are past,—
Labor and sorrow cease;
And life's long warfare closed at last,—
His soul is found in peace."

REV. WILLIAM R. CROWDER

BY JAMES C. REED.

Rev. William R. Crowder, son of Rev. Giles N. and Ann Lewis Crowder, was born in Halifax county, Virginia, November 11, 1847. His father was a local preacher of note and of great usefulness. His mother was a woman of unusual intellectual endowments, and was noted for her deep piety. She was a direct descendant of the House of Spencer, of England.

It was but natural that such parents should train their children "in the nurture and admonition of the Lord." As the result of such training their son, William R. Crowder, was converted early in life. He enlisted as a soldier in the army of the Confederate States before he was seventeen years of age and joined Wright's Battery. His first service was in front of Petersburg. Those were days that tried men's souls. The stripling lad of seventeen stood the test. Here in discharge of his duty he received a wound the ill effects of which he felt the rest of his life.

At the close of the Civil War he entered into secular business, in which he continued eighteen years. It was during this period that he heard the call of the Holy Spirit, to undertake the high vocation of a minister of the gospel. After a desperate struggle he surrendered his will to God's will, and said, "Here am I, send me." He was admitted on trial into the Virginia Conference November 15, 1883, and was assigned to Patrick circuit, where he remained two years. He was ordained deacon November 16, 1885, at Petersburg, by Bishop John C. Keener, and was appointed to Pittsylvania circuit, where he continued two years. At Danville, November 20, 1887, he was ordained elder by Bishop Joseph S. Key. Thereafter he served the following charges in the order named: Cascade, Cumberland, Eastville and Cobb's Island, Franktown, Capeville, Onancock, East Norfolk, Denby Station, Keller, South Norfolk, Gloucester, Shackelford's, Hanover, Pocomoke, and Capeville again, making a continuous pastorate of thirty years.

Ill health compelled him in 1914 to ask for the superannuate relation. The stalwart frame had yielded to the inroads of disease until he became an almost helpless cripple. He retired to Gloucester county, expecting to spend there the remainder of his days; but a few months before his death he went to the home of his son-in-law, Andrew S. Martin, in Norfolk county, where, surrounded by his loved ones, on the 30th of January, 1917, he quietly passed to his eternal reward.

Brother Crowder was a very modest man and of a retiring nature. It was partly on this account that he was not well known by many of his brethren. He was a man of genuine worth, with excellent preaching ability. He had a pleasing and imposing presence in the pulpit. With great care he prepared the gospel message. The thought was clear, the language chaste, the delivery pleasing and impressive. Without fear he declared the whole counsel of God, and always preached the truth in love. No wonder that his ministry was blessed to the edification of the church and the salvation of sinners.

The writer came into close relation with Brother Crowder during the long and painful illness of his son Giles, that resulted in death, at the residence of his son-in-law, O. S. Engledove, in Lynchburg. Though his great heart of love was sorely tried, he murmured not, but realizing that God gave and God had taken away, he acquiesced in God's will as his will. Nor did he murmur when laid aside from the active work of the ministry. Knowing that his work was done, he suffered his infirmities with patience and submission, and quietly awaited the Master's call to enter into rest.

On the 28th of October, 1868, Brother Crowder was united in marriage with Mrs. Victoria Adelaide Moore Taylor, and of this union five daughters and two sons were born: Mrs. William Upshur, of Cheriton, Va.; Mrs. O. S. Engledove, of Lynchburg, Va.; Mrs. A. S. Martin, of Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. A. W. Clopton, of Gloucester Point, Va.; Mrs. George A. Beauchamp, of Montgomery, Alabama; Giles Crowder, whose death has been already noted; and

Lieutenant Robert T. Crowder, now at Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va. All these, with the exception of Giles, survive to mourn the loss of an affectionate father, who leaves them the heritage of a life well spent in the Master's service. A few months after his departure his widow joined him in the Land of the Blest.

His remains were taken to Northampton county, on the Eastern Shore of Virginia, where many of his labors had been spent. The funeral services were held in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Rev. C. H. Kidd, Rev. E. T. Dadmun and this writer taking part. Brother ministers of the Eastern Shore District were his pallbearers. The sacred dust was laid to rest in the cemetery near Cheriton.

Alseep in Jesus! blessed sleep,
From which none ever wakes to weep!
A calm and undisturbed repose,
Unbroken by the last of foes.

REV. SAMUEL R. DREWRY

BY JAMES W. HECKMAN.

Rev. Samuel Richard Drewry was born in Franklin County, Virginia, July 12, 1862. His parents were Richard and Jane Drewry. They were faithful, pious members of the Dunkard Church. Samuel grew up on the farm, and was an industrious boy. His educational advantages were limited, but he attended a classical school in his native county, and became a good English scholar. He taught in public and private schools in his county until he joined the Conference. He was of a stalwart nature, and yet was rather diffident as to his estimate of his own ability. No one could rightly accuse him of egotism. He was awarded professional certificates by the Superintendents of the Public Schools in his county. He was very precise in all of his statements, carefully selecting his words, and properly arranging them into sentences. This made him, at times, appear a little slow, but his language was grammatical, both in private conversation and public speaking. He was very thorough in all his work, and was a most excellent teacher, giving entire satisfaction in all his school work.

Mr. Drewry was married to Miss Julia H. Pinckard, who was a school teacher, of Franklin county, Virginia, November 6, 1884. She was a true wife, a faithful helper in his ministry, and a kind mother. She and six children survive, two having died. Ernest T. Drewry is married and lives in Baltimore, Maryland. Mabel, Russell, Clyde, Louise and Carlton are living in Roanoke county with their mother. Janie died in infancy, and Iris preceded her father less than two years, having died of tuberculosis in young womanhood. Russell and Louise are both invalids, suffering with lung trouble.

When Mr. Drewry was a child, he had serious impressions on the subject of religion, and was often tormented with the fear of death and future punishment awaiting the wicked. He was cognizant of the fact that he was a lost sinner "without hope and without God in the world." He often felt, before his conversion, that he would some day be called to the ministry. In the spring of 1889, Rev. J. H. Amiss, the Presiding Elder of the District, preached a powerful sermon on, "The Kingdom of God is not meat and drink, but righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Ghost." Under this sermon, in old Rock Spring church, Brother Drewry was deeply convicted. This conviction lasted until autumn, when he came to the altar in the same church, in a meeting being held by the writer, and was soundly and happily converted. Two summers ago he told the writer that he would never forget the great sermon by the Elder, and the meeting at Rock Spring. He united with the

Methodist Church in October, 1889, and was licensed to preach in May, 1890. He joined the Annual Conference in November, 1890, in Lynchburg, Bishop Hargrove presiding. He was sent to Henry circuit, which he only served one year. He then served Meadows of Dan one year, West Franklin three years, Pittsylvania two years, Patrick one year, Cascade and South Pittsylvania two years, Culpeper circuit one year, Mt. Pleasant three years, Henrico one year, Goochland two years, West Goochland two years, Brookneal one year, Pittsylvania, the second time, one year, Danville circuit two years, East Halifax two years, Franklin one year and was returned for the second, but was never able to do any more work, as his life was nearing the end. He was ordained deacon in Norfolk in 1892 by Bishop Hendrix, and elder in 1894 in Charlottesville by Bishop Haygood. Owing to declining health he was not able to attend the Conference in Richmond last November, which was the only session he ever missed, except the Conference in Salisbury, Maryland. He served hard places all of his ministry, so far as finances were concerned. Some times he taught school, and also spent money he had made before entering the ministry, to help along in his living expenses; but it is not easy to understand how he supported his family and educated his children. The last two charges he served, he walked, not being able to keep a horse. It must have been by the strictest economy, and most judicious management on his part and that of his good wife, that they pulled through. Surely he was a good financier.

Brother Drewry was a clear preacher. He was possessed of a strong analytical mind, and was a close Bible student. He was not a man of a great many books, but was thoroughly posted as to the theology of his church, and loved her doctrines. He was well versed in the Book of books. He was fond of reading, but was financially unable to purchase a great library. He taught and lived a high standard of Christianity, and was a strong believer in, and professor of, perfect love as taught by the Wesleys and the Methodist Church. He was a close friend of the writer from boyhood, and was always true to his convictions. He had much success in revival work in a number of the charges he served. He worked hard to raise the Conference collections, going from one home to another in person, until the money was raised. The white light of the great judgment day alone can reveal the good he did.

Brother Drewry suffered intensely for some time previous to his death, from severe hemorrhages of the lungs and difficult respiration. In all of his suffering he was happy, and constantly prayed and tried to sing. He praised God continually, and the glories and hallelujahs were proclaimed aloud. He said he was not afraid to die, and while he would like to live longer to continue his loved employ, yet he wanted God's will done. On February 17, 1917, he died a most triumphant death. His remains were taken to Ferrum, on the 19th, and his funeral was conducted by Rev. S. J. Brown, his Presiding Elder, assisted by Rev. J. W. Bouldin, the pastor of the church. Then his body was laid to rest in the family burying ground of his wife's people, to await the coming of the Son of man to awaken the dead out of their slumber, and to call up the living together with them to meet the Lord in the air. Then his spirit, soul, and body will be reunited, and all that was mortal put on immortality, and he will receive a crown of life with all them that love His appearing.

Life's labor done, as sinks the clay,
 Light from its load the spirit flies,
 While heaven and earth combine to say,
 "How blest the righteous when he dies!"

REV. JOHN Q. RHODES

BY J. C. REED

Rev. John Q. Rhodes, son of Richard and Martha Rhodes, was born December 28, 1846, in Albemarle county, Virginia. He was converted in 1867, under the ministry of Rev. George C. Vanderslice, then pastor of the Scottsville circuit. Soon after his conversion he heard and heeded the call of the Holy Spirit to preach the gospel, and began at once to prepare himself for this great work. Having attended the Stony Point Academy in 1867, he became in 1868 a student at the Academy in Harrisonburg, Rockingham county, Va. At this time he became an inmate of the home of my father, Rev. Lemuel S. Reed, who assisted him in his preparation for the ministry. During this time an acquaintance and friendship began with the writer of this memoir, which increased with unabating affection to the close of his useful life.

In June, 1869, he was licensed to preach by the quarterly conference of Scottsville circuit; and at the Annual Conference held in Richmond, November of the same year, Bishop David S. Doggett presiding, he was admitted into the traveling connection, and appointed to the Berlin circuit on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. In 1870 he served the Spotsylvania circuit. At the Conference of 1871, held in Portsmouth, he was ordained deacon by Bishop Robert Paine, and was assigned to Bannister circuit. He served the South Bedford charge in 1872 and 1873. At the session of the Annual Conference in Norfolk in 1874 he was ordained elder by Bishop John C. Keener, and was appointed to Indian Ridge circuit, where he remained two years. Thereafter he served with great acceptability and usefulness the following charges: Northampton three years, Cumberland one year, Southampton four years, Rappahannock three years, Madison three years, Louisa four years, Westmoreland one year, and Greene circuit one year.

At the Conference of 1897 failing health led him to ask for the supernumerary relation. But he did not remain inactive. The pastor of Louisa circuit, in the bounds of which he resided, having been removed to supply another charge, Brother Rhodes was put in charge of the work, and continued in this pastorate three years, from 1898 to 1901. Failing health again demanded that he be placed on the supernumerary roll of the Conference, in which relation he remained from 1901 to 1904. At the Conference of 1904, his health having been greatly undermined by disease, he was granted the relation of a superannuate, in which relation he remained until his death, March 25, 1917.

This is a very brief outline of a very useful life spent in the ministry of the Virginia Conference, extending over a period of nearly 48 years. Brother Rhodes grew to manhood's estate during the trying times of the war waged for Southern independence, and the distressing conditions that followed thereafter. He was, therefore, denied by adverse circumstances the advantages of the education he so much desired. He made diligent use, however, of all opportunities for gaining an equipment for his life work. His hunger for knowledge was great. He read carefully the best books, and assimilated their contents. He was blessed with a retentive memory, and a mind that analyzed and classified all information acquired. His preaching was characterized by great clearness and power, and his ministry was fruitful in the upbuilding of the Church and the ingathering of souls. This very apt and descriptive paragraph is taken from the "Sketches" of the Virginia Conference:

"He is a man of affairs. The old and ugly places of worship grow into sightly temples of God under his enterprising administration of the temporalities of Zion. The dullest circuit seems to take on an ambition for betterment in parsonage and in church homes. The sound of the hammer is heard in his parish. His own tireless zeal inspires the people."

He looked well after all the affairs of his charges, and prosperity was the result of his labors. He was deeply interested in the work of his Church, and

especially in the affairs of the Virginia Conference. He knew the preachers and the work. The Conference sessions have not seemed exactly the same since he ceased to attend. He was always found surrounded by his brethren. He took great interest in the appointments to be made, and could often with great accuracy forecast the final results. What a merry twinkle beamed from his kindly eyes, as he questioned some presiding elder, and drew from him information that the elder had no idea he was giving! Dear John Rhodes! how his brethren loved him! Stalwart in body and mind, gentle and pure in heart, he served his day and generation according to the will of God, and now rests from his labors.

In 1871 he was married to Mrs. Fleming, of Spotsylvania county, who died in 1884. One daughter of this marriage survives—Mrs. Willie A. Waller, of Spottsylvania. On the first of December, 1885, he married Miss Ellen Louise Dearing, of Rappahannock county. This union was blessed with four children: Mrs. Orro Louise Oliver, of Birmingham, Alabama, Anna Dearing, Varina Moore, and John Q. Rhodes, Jr., of Louisa, Va., all of whom, with their mother, survive to mourn their unspeakable loss.

His funeral services were held in the Methodist church at Louisa, March 28, 1917, and were conducted by the writer, assisted by Rev. C. T. Thrift, pastor of Louisa circuit, all the ministers of other denominations in the community taking part and paying tribute to his life as a faithful servant of God. His precious dust was laid to rest in the cemetery at Louisa, to await the resurrection of the just. He is not, for God hath taken him.

REV. LEWIS B. BETTY

BY T. MCN. SIMPSON

Rev. Lewis Bond Betty, servant of God and minister of Jesus Christ, "fell on sleep" at his home in Larchmont, Norfolk, Va., July 5, 1917. He was born in Richmond, Va., February 3rd, 1853, and through the sixty-four years of his life "did that which was right in the sight of the Lord," for he had been brought up in the way he should go, and never departed from it.

His parents, George L. and Martha B. Betty, were devout Christians, fearing God and keeping His commandments, and they taught their son the Scriptures from his youth, bringing him up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord, thus safeguarding him against the snares and pitfalls that entrap so many young men, and settling him in the faith that kept him steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord. At the age of fifteen, in the spring of 1868, he made public profession of his faith, and joined Sidney—now Park Place Methodist church—then served by Rev. R. A. Armistead, where he continued to grow in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. In December, 1872, he was licensed by his Quarterly Conference to preach, and shortly after was sent by his Presiding Elder, Dr. L. M. Lee, to the Gloucester Circuit as junior preacher under Rev. J. C. Martin. He served this charge three years as a local preacher—the third under Rev. Oscar Littleton—and then was admitted on trial into the traveling connection, at the session of our Conference in Danville, November, 1875, and was sent back to the Gloucester circuit for the fourth year. He had put off his application for membership in the Annual Conference, in the hope of equipping himself more fully for the work of the itinerant ministry by a course at college, but an affection of the eyes denied him the privilege of close study; and so, with regret, he abandoned his purpose, and asked for a place in the Conference with such training as he had received at the schools of the city, principally the classical school of Mr. S. T. Pendleton. He did not neglect his books, however, but gave attention to reading, studying to show himself approved unto God, a workman that needed not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the Word of truth. He stored his retentive mind and heart to an

unusual extent with passages of Scripture and stanzas of hymns, and his sermons were enriched and illumined by frequent and appropriate quotations. As a result his preaching was markedly Scriptural and spiritual, edifying to believers and comforting to saints.

He never attempted any flights of oratory, nor any display of learning, but in a style simple and clear he often rose to the height of true eloquence—the eloquence of an earnest soul under the unction of the Holy Spirit. He loved to preach, and was instant in season and out of season, holding forth the Word of life with a steady hand and a firm faith, and declaring his message in demonstration of the Spirit and with power.

As a pastor he was diligent and sympathetic, a faithful under shepherd, exercising watchful care over his flock, feeding the lambs, tending the sheep, and seeking and serving the erring, the sick, the suffering. He consulted not his own comfort when the call of need came to his ear.

Of course, he was a good man. The splendid superstructure of his life-work was built upon the foundation of his Christian character, but this character was marked by three attractive features—his gentleness and kindness of manner, his purity of thought and speech, his trustfulness of faith. He believed God with the heart unto righteousness, and God ennobled and enriched him with the treasures of His grace. During his last illness he said to his wife, "I want my brethren to know that there is not a cloud between me and my Saviour; my faith is strong."

For forty-one years he went in and out among us, doing the work of an evangelist, pastor and teacher, serving his generation by the will of God, and now he rests from his labors and his works follow him. He fought a good fight, he kept the faith, he finished his course in peace and hope.

Never robust in health, his later years were marked by increasing weakness and at times by much suffering. Often he would force his frail body to his appointed task, and stand in his lot against nature's painful protest. Seeing that he was not able to do the work of the regular ministry any longer, his friends and loved ones urged him to retire, and, in deference to them, but with great reluctance, he asked his brethren at the Conference in Richmond, Nov. 1916, to grant him the superannuate relation. After the appointments had been read, and he had returned to his home, he said to his wife, "My heart was broken to-night. My name was not read out for any appointment." But he still continued to preach for awhile, going every other Sunday afternoon to the little church, Bethel, to hold services for the people, till his strength gave out, clinging to that ministry which was his "loved employ."

Brother Betty had filled some of our principal charges in the Conference, and had made full proof of his ministry. The following list will indicate the character and extent of his labors: Charles City and Accomac circuits; Queen Street, Norfolk; Ashland; Mt. Vernon, Danville; Court Street, Lynchburg; Monumental, Portsmouth; Clay Street and Park Place, Richmond; Centenary, Norfolk; Norfolk District—following Dr. Paul Whitehead, who died in the office; Smithfield; Onancock; and Larchmont, in the order named, and several of his pastorates extended through four years.

He was twice married—happily and helpfully so both times; first to Miss Lucy T. Waddill, of Charles City county, who died during his pastorate at Court Street, Lynchburg; and then, in the fall of 1896, to Miss Lula C. Bailey, of Lynchburg, who with three children by his first wife—Mrs. Catherine B. Ames, of Accomac county, Va., and George M. and Miss Lelia G. Betty, of Norfolk, survive him and mourn their loss. He was an affectionate husband, a devoted father, a sincere friend, "an Israelite indeed in whom there is no guile."

His funeral service was held at Colonial Avenue church, Norfolk, Friday afternoon, July 6, conducted by Rev. George Wesley Jones, his Presiding Elder; Rev. J. M. Kline, his family's pastor; and Rev. J. C. Reed and Rev. W. E. Judkins, his long-cherished friends. His burial was in Danville, Va., where on Saturday afternoon, July 7th, Drs. George H. Spooner and J. N.

Latham performed the last sad rites and laid his body to rest, beside his first wife and two children, who had preceded him to the Father's house of many mansions.

How blest the righteous when he dies!
When sinks a weary soul to rest.

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Life's labor done, as sinks the clay,
Light from its load the spirit flies;
While heaven and earth combine to say,
"How blest the righteous when he dies!"

REV. BASCOM DEY.

BY JAMES CANNON, JR.

Rev. Bascom Dey was the son of Rev. John B. and Jane Elizabeth Dey. He was born in Williamsburg, Va., October 15, 1859, and died October 26, 1917, at Reedville, Northumberland County, being fifty-eight years and eleven days old.

Brother Dey attended the public schools at Williamsburg through the grammar grades, and took the course at William and Mary College. From there he went to Randolph-Macon College, where he continued his studies for several years.

The writer was a fellow student of Brother Dey at Randolph-Macon, and they soon became friends, and that friendship grew in strength till his death. While he did not mingle very much with the other students, he commanded the respect of the entire student body, and was recognized as having unusual literary ability. He was even then exceedingly modest, not only never boasting of his ability or his achievements, but inclined always to minimize the value of his work, and to shrink from any special prominence. He did, however, contribute articles to the College magazine from time to time, which articles, especially his poems, were among the very best contributions published by the magazine during those years.

Upon leaving College in June, 1885, he entered the ministry, and served as a supply at Wright Memorial Church, Portsmouth, until the session of the Annual Conference in November, at which time he was received on trial into the traveling connection and sent to Matoaca, where he served for one year, and then to Blandford for two years. At the close of this pastorate, on November 27, 1888, he was married to Miss Hettie L. Morriss. This was a happy union, and for nearly thirty years she was a helpmeet, who did him good and not evil all the days of their married life. Being deeply interested in his work, she gave him active and helpful co-operation in every charge which he served. Five children were born to them, four of whom, three sons and one daughter, are living to mourn the loss of a devoted father, who thought, labored and prayed for their temporal and eternal welfare. The oldest son, John Bascom Dey, is in business in Lynchburg, Virginia, the second and third sons, Russell Carlyle, and Ralph Emerson, are with their mother at Reedville, and the youngest, Lela, is a student at Blackstone College.

In 1888 Brother Dey was sent to Newport News. Later he served Charlotte Circuit, West Campbell, West Dinwiddie four years, Prospect four years, Lunenburg three years, Asbury (Richmond) one year, Park View (Portsmouth) two years, Chase City four years, Rivermont one year, and Martinsville two years. At the Conference of 1913 he was sent to Bethany, and at the time of his death was in his fourth year at that delightful charge.

Last March Brother Dey had a severe attack of La Grippe, from which he never recovered. Notwithstanding his impaired physical condition, he endeavored to keep up his work, and preached until the first of July. About the middle of July his doctor insisted that he should be given complete rest, and he went to Baltimore for hospital treatment. It seemed at first that the treatment would be successful and that he would entirely recover, but about October first an acute attack of Bright's disease developed, and the doctors wrote that recovery was impossible, and that his death was a matter of only a short time. He was brought home to Reedville, and in less than three weeks he succumbed to that dread disease. He was able to move about the room until the day before his death, and was calmly and patiently waiting for the great transition from the earthly to the heavenly life. The funeral services were held at Bethany Church, and were conducted by Rev. L. S. Flournoy, who was supplying the charge during Brother Dey's illness, assisted by Revs. S. E. Lucas and A. F. Rice. The interment was made in the Reedville cemetery.

These are the bare facts in the life of a man who for thirty-two years gave himself unreservedly and faithfully to the Master's work. He literally knew nothing but the pastorate. All of his powers were concentrated upon the work committed to him by the Conference. As indicated above, he was a man of more than ordinary literary gifts. Like his father, Rev. John B. Dey, he was a great reader, and had a fine literary style. He was never careless or slovenly in his pulpit work. He thought through his subject, frequently writing not only the outline, but sometimes the entire sermon. His wide reading and retentive memory gave him a rich vocabulary for the expression of his thought. His poetic cast of mind was in evidence in all of his preaching. He impressed every community where he labored as a man of unusual gifts, and not only his own people waited upon his ministry with profit, but he was a great favorite with the members of other denominations.

His modesty was so great as to reach sometimes the point of self-depreciation. Although his literary and oratorical powers far exceeded those of the average preacher, and although he must have experienced many times the sense of power—indeed, of mastery over the congregations to which he preached—yet there was never anything in word or manner which indicated that he realized that he possessed unusual gifts. He could not understand how men could push themselves into positions of prominence and still maintain their self-respect. There is no doubt that his unwillingness to appear self-assertive in the slightest degree prevented his participation in public discussions even when he was thoroughly posted upon the subjects under debate, and could have spoken with more profit than many who consumed the time.

Like most intelligent, quiet men, he was very observant, and carefully weighed the speech and manner of those whom he met, and with those whom he knew and trusted he talked freely. The writer was one to whom he sometimes opened his heart, and it was, indeed, a privilege to be admitted to that number. For his was one of those honest, sincere, charitable, humble, and fearlessly inquiring souls, which dare to go apart from all the clamor and bustle and strife, and even joy of the world around them, and to face the great questions of life alone with God. He was like the great apostle, "Without were fightings, within were fears." He was too sincere to be satisfied with anything but the most thorough and searching investigations of the foundation of Christian belief, and he had small respect for a faith that was satisfied with a form of words, and had not gone down to the solid rock. This insistence upon thorough investigation and absolute assurance affected to some extent the form of his preaching. He demanded of his congregations that they frankly face the great questions of time and eternity, that they blink at none of the difficulties, and that they realize that the great problems of life could not be solved by the human mind, except as they were solved by the plan of salvation laid down in the Word of

God. Many times has the writer talked with him on subjects which he rarely discussed with others.

It was a great mental stimulus to come in contact with a mind so alert and so well-stored with the thought of many of the best thinkers of all countries and ages. Brother Dey greatly enjoyed a battle on philosophical or theological questions with anybody who would not dodge, or attempt to escape the logical conclusion of the argument, and he did what so many men refuse to do—demanded of himself a compliance with the same rule that he applied to others.

There were many speculative questions upon which he brooded much, and which, of course, he never settled, questions that none of us will ever settle in the days of the flesh. But he settled the great question. Like Paul he said: "I know whom I have believed, and I am persuaded that He is able to keep that which I have committed unto Him against that day." He trusted in Jesus Christ as the Way, the Truth and the Life, and he came to the Father through Him.

He was a Christian gentleman in all the associations of life. He was neat in his dress, polite in manner, and at home in every circle of society. He was pure in speech. Nobody ever heard him use anything but clean language, or tell a story of even the slightest doubtful import. He was exceedingly charitable in his estimate of others, and was never known to say a word to damage a brother, or to reflect upon his character. Indeed, he was unusually considerate of the feelings and of the rights of others. He was honest and true in all his dealings with his neighbors. He paid his debts, regardless of the salary he received. He was intensely sympathetic with those in trouble, and made their burdens his own. In every charge he served he had the respect and confidence of his people, and everywhere he wore the white flower of a stainless life.

His first-born child, a beautiful little daughter, was taken from her earthly parents by the Heavenly Father at the attractive age of two years. The effect of this experience upon his spiritual life was very great, and a poem, entitled "A Memory," written several years later, reflects so clearly the man as he really was, that it is given here in full:

"Long years ago, when life was young to me,
There oftentimes would climb upon my knee
A little darling, scarce two summers old.
She was a lovely child; and as I'd hold
Her dimpled hands and gaze into her eyes—
Those eyes where slept a thousand mysteries—
It seemed to me she could not die—
A child of immortality.

"Thus spoke my heart. Alas! how soon
My little bud was withered—dead—
She lives in mem'ry now, that little one,
Though form and feature, smile and voice are fled;
And now I think, that she was given,
To help me on the way to heaven—
This little angel child.

"O Father! that my life might be
The soul of such sweet purity,
Now moving on in melody—
A voice of song on joyous wings,
Ascending higher while it sings
A psalm of deathless love."

While he was on the Lunenburg Circuit he came to Blackstone College several times, and preached with great acceptability to the young ladies.

On one such occasion he closed a sermon on "The Duty and Privilege of Praise," with the following paragraph, which is characteristic of his beautiful poetic style, and the elevation of his thought:

"I heard the matin song of the bird, sweet herald of the coming dawn; the lowing of cattle on the distant hill, when evening shadows fell; the soft, labial whisperings of the night, when God and the soul are near; the gurgle and fall of crystal waters in far-off mountain glens. The sigh of the western winds came softly from the sleeping hills, and the silken rustle of amorous leaves, I heard, deep in their forest home. The harp of the pines, like the murmur of ocean waves on a distant shore, played its soft song to the soul. I heard the cathedral organ, rolling forth its mighty volume of music, and the sweet-voiced choir break out into joyous praise. And then I heard all separate sounds blend into one mighty volume; and it seemed as if all instruments of music, and all the voices of men, and all the voices of the wind, and all the voices of the thunder, and all the voices of the thousand-voiced seas, were chanting in unison the Hallelujah Chorus of the World."

With what joy has his redeemed and enraptured soul entered into the Holy City, and his voice joined itself to that of the multitude gathered around the great White Throne crying "Alleluia: for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth."

He was a highly gifted, modest, unassuming, sincere Christian gentleman, who served his generation by the will of God, and has been gathered to his fathers.

APPENDIX III.—REPORTS.

BOARD OF MISSIONS.

REPORT NO. 1.

Recognizing the increased responsibility that has come to us, growing out of the war conditions and the multitude of soldiers and sailors in the bounds of our Conference, we recommend—

1. That four men be appointed for special service—one to be stationed in Petersburg, one in Norfolk, one in Portsmouth, and one in Newport News.
2. That fifteen thousand dollars be raised as a minimum, to be a special fund for the salaries and equipment in this work.
3. That a committee of seven is hereby created, consisting of Bishop Collins Denny as chairman, three from the Board of Lay Activities—Thos. S. Southgate, O. S. Morton and H. O. Kerns; and three from the Board of Missions—W. B. Beauchamp, W. C. Ivey and A. E. Kellam; this committee to finance and plan this special work.
4. That Bishop Collins Denny is requested to present this work to our Conference in session at the earliest possible hour.

C. E. BLANKENSHIP,

Secretary.

W. B. BEAUCHAMP,

President.

REPORT NO. 2.

We are disposed to exaggerate always the importance of the present moment. But surely it cannot be doubted that the hour to which we have come is an unusual hour. Changes, political, industrial and religious, are taking place as perhaps never before. Conditions are fluid and life everywhere plastic, and any moulding hand has its chance in all the world. Surely the Kingdom of God should not for a moment falter, but should advance with courage and definiteness, and the great business of Missions should get an emphasis in this hour that is worthy the need and the opportunity.

Our own Missionary enterprise has an unusual providential opportunity in the Centennial Anniversary of the Founding of Methodist Missions in America. In the year 1819 there was organized in New York City a missionary society, which, while it was a local organization at first, became, when adopted by the General Conference the following year, the Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Under the joint auspices of the two great Methodisms of America, it is proposed to observe the occasion in some appropriate and worthy way. We are now in the midst of preparation, and there is every reason to believe that this celebration is to be the greatest event that has come in the history of Methodism, if not, indeed, in the history of the Christian Church in this country. The Virginia Conference in this, as in other great movements for world conquest, should lead, and our churches and people are urged to hold themselves in readiness to co-operate in the plans proposed for this celebration.

In the meantime, we should not abate for an instant our present care of the missionary enterprise. At this moment in foreign fields, as in the belligerent countries of Christendom, our workers are feeling the pinch of war conditions and prices. Especially should we remember our missionaries to China. On account of the high rate of exchange the support of these men and women has been reduced to one half or one third. It was a splendid thing that was done by the Conference on the evening of your Missionary Anniversary, when you were asked to give \$2,000 for the relief of our missionaries to China, and you gave \$3,000. Let our people who know the secret make earnest and unceasing intercession for these missionaries, that in the fiery trial that has come to them their faith fail not, or their patience, and let other Churches join those that have already responded in generous offerings for the relief of these brave and faithful men and women.

Let us remember furthermore that the assessment for Missions does not take care of our work. A fourth of the work already projected, to say nothing of advance, must be carried in special offerings. The war has hurt, but probably has helped the missionary enterprise as much as it has hurt, in the spirit of self sacrifice that begins to spread like a fine contagion in the Church. Our people have the money, and they are giving it to the things in which they are interested. Indeed, a feeling is getting abroad that, if a man can go to the war in these times, he should go. If he cannot go and has no son to send, the least he can do is to give his money. At the beginning of this war selfish men leaped to the fore and thought to make large profits, and, indeed, it is said that 30,000 millionaires have been made in this country since the war began. But good men have thought better of it, and differently, and they are coming to feel that money made in a time like this is coined out of the comforts and blood of the boys who have gone to the front, and that the man who does it is the "shirker" of all shirkers, and the "slacker" whose cowardly selfishness deserves the contempt of the men who, whether they go to the front or not, are cheerfully doing their "bit" and their best to make efficient and to save the lives of the men who have gone for them to the front. The very least that a man can do is to let his money go to help. And so, if we afford them the chance, our people will give their money to the great causes that have emerged in connection with the war, and that have to do with the care of our boys at the front. This they surely ought to do. But they will give their money also to make effective the work of our brave missionaries, who are holding the lines for us on the far-away frontiers of the world's civilization. Let our pastors and laymen push the matter of pledges for special offerings promptly and vigorously at the beginning of the Conference year.

C. E. BLANKENSHIP,

Secretary.

W. B. BEAUCHAMP,

President.

REPORT NO. 3.

The Board of Missions desires to express its high appreciation of the presence and addresses of our honored brethren, Rev. W. G. Cram, of Korea, and Rev. J. C. C. Newton, D. D., of Japan, and we express hereby our

gratification at the glad news of the progress of our greatest school in mission fields—the Kwansei Gakuin at Kobe, Japan.

We request the presiding Bishop to make the following appointments: Thos. N. Potts to be Conference Secretary of Missions, W. L. Murphy to be Conference Evangelist, and J. W. Dixon to be superintendent of the Richmond City Mission.

Also the following: E. T. Dadmun, E. F. Hall, Otis M. Gilliam, and Dumas Malone, to the work of the Young Men's Christian Association in the Army.

We also request the Bishop to appoint James Cannon, III., to Y. M. C. A. work; and in view of the fact that he has been recommended by the General Board of Missions for ordination, and is by the said General Board declared to be an approved candidate for missionary work in the foreign field, we recommend that he be elected to deacon's and elder's orders.

We hereby nominate Thos. S. Southgate for re-election as Conference Lay Leader.

C. E. BLANKENSHIP,
Secretary.

W. B. BEAUCHAMP,
President.

REPORT NO. 4.

Your Board has carefully considered the requests from the Lynchburg and Charlottesville District Conferences, asking for the appointment of District Evangelists to said Districts, and heartily favors the granting of these requests at this time, provided suitable men are available.

In the event that suitable men are not now available, then we recommend that the Presiding Elder of each of said Districts be requested to employ, for the summer months, a "supply" to do the work of an evangelist, provided a competent man can be secured.

Your Board has also had under consideration the resolution, signed by J. B. Winn and J. T. Mastin, requesting the appointment of a "war work committee, consisting of ten members, five preachers and five laymen, one from each Presiding Elder's District, the duties of which shall be to co-operate with like committees appointed by other branches of the Christian Church, and to see that the military addresses of the young men from within the bounds of our Conference shall be furnished to the proper persons working in or near the military and naval camps, where these young men are stationed; and also to do whatever else it may deem necessary for the spiritual welfare of the army and navy." Your Board favors the appointment of such a committee, but recommends that the Lay Leaders of the several Districts of our Conference be, and they are hereby designated, to compose the same, and that the special commission recently created to supervise and to direct the special war service movement projected by this Conference, be asked to name one of the four pastors, to be appointed to special service in the army, as secretary, whose duty it shall be to receive, record and thereby make available, the information thus secured.

Your Board has also carefully considered the resolution signed by Lee G. Crutchfield, J. S. Wallace and others, asking that it "rescind its action making the Every-Member Canvass the condition on which mission charges

shall receive assistance from this Board;" and is decidedly of the opinion that to grant this request would be unwise. In view of the fact that the making of such a canvass is now the accepted policy of all the leading denominations of this country, and the further fact that our own Church, through its General Conference, makes it the duty of the pastor "to see that a canvass is made of every member early in the Conference year for a missionary contribution," we incline to the belief that the regulation of your Board requiring that such a canvass be made a condition precedent to the granting of an appropriation to the Mission charges under its supervision, is an eminently proper one. If further proof is needed, it can be easily obtained by anyone who will look into the results of its application. The reports which come to us convince us that wherever the attempt to carry out this policy is seriously and intelligently made, the returns are gratifying in the extreme. Besides, the Board has at no time shown any disposition to enforce this regulation in an arbitrary and unsympathetic way, but, on the contrary, in every case has borne and had patience.

We submit herewith, without reading, the reports of our Conference Evangelists, and that of our Conference Secretary of Missions, and request that the same be published in the forthcoming Annual.

The assessments for the coming year are as follows:

For Foreign Missions.....	\$28,700.00
For Home Missions.....	9,184.00
For Conference Missions.....	28,000.00
TOTAL.....	\$65,884.00

We append the appropriations for the incoming year.

C. E. BLANKENSHIP,

Secretary.

W. B. BEAUCHAMP,

President.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1917-'18.

I.—Charlottesville District:

Brightwood.....	\$ 100.00
Crozet.....	100.00
East Albemarle.....	250.00
Gordonsville.....	150.00
Hinton Avenue.....	300.00
Madison Mission.....	250.00
Mount Pleasant.....	75.00
Rapidan.....	100.00
South Amherst.....	50.00
West Amherst.....	250.00
West Goochland.....	200.00
West Hanover.....	100.00

\$ 1,925.00

II.—Danville District:

Cascade.....	\$ 150.00
Danville Circuit.....	125.00

East Franklin.....	125.00
Ferrum.....	300.00
Franklin.....	300.00
Grace.....	100.00
Henry.....	250.00
North Patrick.....	450.00
Patrick.....	200.00
Schoolfield.....	300.00
Sledd Memorial.....	100.00
South Franklin.....	100.00
Stuart.....	150.00
West Franklin.....	250.00
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	\$ 2,900.00

III.—Farmville District:

Burkeville.....	\$ 100.00
East Nottoway.....	100.00
Cartersville.....	50.00
Charlotte.....	100.00
Clarksville (conditional).....	400.00
Nottoway.....	200.00
Powhatan.....	100.00
Prince Edward.....	150.00
South Charlotte.....	100.00
Victoria.....	300.00
West Buckingham.....	250.00
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	\$ 1,850.00

IV.—Lynchburg District:

Alta Vista.....	\$ 300.00
Appomattox.....	300.00
Bedford Circuit.....	250.00
Campbell Circuit.....	200.00
Elba.....	100.00
Madison Heights.....	275.00
Middle Bedford.....	200.00
North Bedford.....	100.00
North Pittsylvania.....	100.00
South Bedford.....	100.00
Trinity.....	200.00
West End.....	300.00
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	\$ 2,425.00

V.—Norfolk District:

Hampton Roads.....	\$ 100.00
Lynnhaven.....	200.00
Mt. Vernon.....	300.00
North Princess Anne.....	150.00

Oaklette.....	200.00	
Ocean View.....	100.00	
York (conditional \$50).....	100.00	
		<hr/> \$ 1,200.00

VI.—Petersburg District:

Blandford.....	\$ 200.00	
Brunswick.....	150.00	
Chesterfield.....	100.00	
City Point (conditional).....	400.00	
Dinwiddie.....	150.00	
Ettrick.....	100.00	
Greensville.....	250.00	
Memorial.....	150.00	
South Brunswick (conditional).....	100.00	
South Dinwiddie (conditional).....	100.00	
Waverly.....	150.00	
West Chesterfield.....	100.00	
South Chesterfield.....	200.00	
		<hr/> \$ 2,150.00

VII.—Portsmouth and Newport News District:

Crittenden.....	\$ 200.00	
Cottage Place (conditional).....	150.00	
Elm Avenue.....	200.00	
Oxford (conditional \$50.00).....	250.00	
Williamsburg.....	300.00	
Whaleyville and Somerton.....	200.00	
		<hr/> \$ 1,350.00

VIII.—Rappahannock District:

Colonial Beach.....	\$ 200.00	
Gloucester Point.....	225.00	
King George.....	75.00	
King and Queen.....	175.00	
Middlesex.....	150.00	
New Kent.....	200.00	
Richmond Circuit.....	75.00	
Toano.....	50.00	
Urbanna.....	200.00	
West Lancaster.....	200.00	
		<hr/> \$ 1,550.00

IX.—Richmond District:

Asbury.....	\$ 100.00	
Ashland Circuit.....	100.00	
Charles City.....	25.00	
City Mission.....	500.00	

Epworth.....	250.00
Fairmount Mission.....	50.00
Fulton Hill.....	100.00
Ginter Park.....	200.00
Goochland.....	50.00
Grace.....	300.00
Henrico Circuit.....	100.00
Highland Springs.....	250.00
King William.....	100.00
St. Paul.....	250.00
Spottsylvania.....	175.00
Woodland Heights.....	200.00
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Grand total.....	\$18,100.00

REPORT OF CONFERENCE SECRETARY OF MISSIONS.

To the President and Members of the Virginia Conference Board of Missions:

As my report on Missions for the year, I beg leave to submit the following: Numerically stated, I have preached 325 times, and have traveled more thousands of miles than I have kept an account of. The plan of my labors was very much the same as that of last year. I visited all the District Conferences, except two, and was prevented from getting to these by unforeseen circumstances.

During the month of December I worked the Eastern Shore District. In January I attended the Secretaries' Conference in Nashville, and worked the Norfolk District. During March I worked the Portsmouth District; April, the Petersburg District; May, the Farmville District; June, the Rappahannock District; in July I attended the District Conferences, and worked the Charlottesville District; in August, the Danville District. During September I tried to stimulate the work already done; and during October I worked the Lynchburg District. The results will show this to be the banner year of Missions in the Virginia Conference.

THOS. N. POTTS,
Conference Secretary of Missions.

REPORT OF E. K. ODELL, CONFERENCE EVANGELIST.

Number of meetings held, 22; number of professions, 523; number of reclamations, 104; total expenses, \$87.75; received from collections, \$764.04.

Meetings were held at the following places:

South Dorchester, W. H. Hantzmon, P. C.: Hosier Memorial Church: converts, 26; collection, \$15. Bethel Church: converts, 60; collection, \$25.

Lewisburg, W. Va., S. K. Cockrell, P. C.: converts, 54; reclamations, 25; collection, \$114.

Park View, Portsmouth, W. T. A. Haynes, P. C.: converts, 23; reclamations, 3; collection, \$51.28.

Hopewell, C. A. Tucker, P. C.: converts, 68; reclamations, 6; collection, \$35.

Boydton, H. E. Johnson, P. C.: converts, 21; reclamations, 4; collection, \$50.

Market Street, Petersburg, L. T. Williams, P. C.: converts, 36; reclamations, 5; collection, \$100.

Cottage Place, Portsmouth, J. G. Unruh, P. C.: converts, 46; reclamations, 7; collection, \$48.

Batesville circuit, Trinity Church, L. H. Early, P. C.: converts, 30; reclamations, 8; collection, \$60.

Spottsylvania circuit, Tabernacle Church, F. R. Holland, P. C.: converts, 14; collection, \$22.75.

North Mecklenburg circuit, H. J. Paylor, P. C. Zion Church: converts, 18; reclamations, 6; collection, \$25. Shiloh Church: converts, 24; reclamations, 10; collection, \$26. Salem Church: converts, 7; reclamations, 4; collection \$21.

Kenbridge, H. C. Gregory, P. C. Kenbridge Church: converts, 16; reclamations, 4; collection, \$40. Chapel: convert, 1; collection, \$15.

Mount Vernon circuit, E. R. Crawley, P. C. Mount Pleasant Church: converts, 14; reclamation, 1; collection, \$17.50.

Goochland circuit, C. W. Moss, P. C., J. E. Avery, Jr., assistant. Saint Matthew's Church (3 days), converts, 3; reclamation, 1; collection, \$5. Bethel Church: converts, 8; reclamations, 3; collection, \$17.50.

Southampton circuit, W. L. Burks, P. C. Sebrell Church: converts, 27; reclamations, 15; collection, \$50.

Chester and Ivey Memorial, W. T. Williams, P. C. Ivey Memorial Church: converts, 2; reclamation, 1; collection, \$10.50.

Cascade circuit, A. W. Linthicum, P. C. Cascade Church: converts, 4; reclamation, 1; collection, \$25.

East Mathews circuit, J. D. Hosier, P. C. Saint Paul's Church: converts, 21; collection, \$25.

As evangelistic secretary I have acted as an intermediary between brethren willing to hold meetings, and other evangelists, and brethren who desired aid that I could not render. Through my endeavors four Randolph-Macon College students—J. H. Hobbs, W. C. Gum, W. W. Moore, and C. V. Morris—were persuaded to take up the work of evangelism during their summer vacation; and they report a total of 23 meetings held, 313 conversions, and collections amounting to \$749.12.

We have also sought by contributions to the Advocate to stimulate the spirit of evangelism. We have been hindered in many meetings by the war spirit with its absorbing interests. We are grateful to God for His presence, and to the brethren for their many kindnesses and co-operation.

I respectfully ask not to be renominated for Conference evangelist, as I desire to return to the work of the regular pastorate.

E. K. ODELL,
Conference Evangelist.

REPORT OF JOHN M. OAKEY, JR., CONFERENCE EVANGELIST.

BOARD OF MISSIONS OF VIRGINIA CONFERENCE:

Dear Brethren:—Accompanying this report you will find an itemized statement of my work for the Conference year 1916-'17.

That report shows conversions 331, and reclamations 196, total 527. Expenses for the year, \$78.20. Collections for the support of evangelist, \$849.15. There is a decrease in conversions and reclamations compared with last year, but an increase of \$110.03 in collections.

The unusual disturbed conditions on account of the war (especially the drafting of young men for service) have made uphill work for revival campaigns. The people have been so preoccupied, that they have not given time for soul-saving. About one half of my work has been with weak churches, where the work is hard but greatly needed.

I have been faithfully assisted in all these meetings, except one or two, by Mrs. Oakey. Wherever there is preparation for revival beforehand by the pastors, the work is about double in results. I am grateful to the brethren for their hearty co-operation and zeal to make the work a success.

I do not believe that one fourth of our Church is really efficiently at work, and we need a great revival in the membership of the Church. A report is made to the Chairman after each meeting held.

Meetings have been held as follows:

Sledd Memorial Church, Danville: converts, 16; reclamations, 16; collection, \$17.95.

Providence, Java, Va.: converts, 6; reclamations, 17; expenses, \$13.35; collection, \$32.70.

Bedford City: converts, 60; reclamations, 20; expenses, \$4.45; collection, \$137.15.

Scottsville: converts, 68; reclamations, 24; expenses, \$8.90; collection, \$116.42.

Clarksville: converts, 19; reclamations, 3; collection, \$40.

Riverview, Rescue, Va.: converts, 16; reclamations, 15; expenses, \$7.25; collection, \$50.

Virgilina: converts, 15; reclamations, 16; collection, \$42.81.

Pleasant Grove, Franklin county: converts, 9; reclamations, 5; expenses, \$3.10; collection, \$14.83.

Northfield, Union Hall, Va.: converts, 12; expenses, \$2.90; collection, \$25.43.

Providence, Grafton, Va.: converts, 16; reclamations, 3; expenses, \$8.60; collection, \$30.

Nimmo, Princess Anne county: converts, 15; reclamations, 16; expenses, \$4.20; collection, \$60.41.

Tabernacle, Jeff, Va.: converts, 10; reclamations, 22; expenses, \$4.80; collection, \$87.00.

Woolwine, Va.: converts, 8; reclamation, 1; expenses, \$3.10; collection, \$15.75.

Sutherlin, Va.: converts, 7; reclamations, 3; collection, \$43.75.

Courtland, Va.: converts, 35; reclamations, 15; expenses, \$15.90; collection, \$63.29.

South Emporia: converts, 10; reclamations, 8; collection, \$61.00.

Rock Spring, Danville circuit: converts, 3; reclamations, 12; collection, \$10.66.

A meeting was held at Design, but bad weather interfered. I have also held six other services, at an expense of \$1.65. Total converts, 331; reclamations, 196; expenses, \$78.20; collections, \$849.15.

J. M. OAKLEY, JR.,

Conference Evangelist.

ROSEBUD MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Receipts for the Conference Year 1916-'17.

	DUES, ETC.	SPECIALS.	TOTALS.
Charlottesville District.....	\$ 492.57	\$ 347.72	\$ 840.29
Danville District.....	171.56	152.17	323.73
Eastern Shore District.....	281.81	207.32	489.13
Farmville District.....	399.05	311.95	711.00
Lynchburg District.....	383.27	383.05	766.32
Norfolk District.....	379.73	150.78	530.51
Petersburg District.....	486.02	455.75	941.77
Portsmouth and Newport News District.....	293.73	239.59	533.32
Rappahannock District.....	559.88	399.57	959.45
Richmond District.....	437.00	292.68	729.68
Friends not in the Virginia Confer- ence.....	23.60	15.66	39.26
Totals.....	\$3,908.22	\$2,956.24	\$6,864.46

Summary.

Dues, admission fees, etc.....	\$3,908.22
Easter offerings.....	561.76
Collected in mite-receivers.....	1,209.76
Collected in mite-boxes.....	521.73
Rosebud School Desks Fund.....	465.61
Rosebud birthday offerings.....	117.56
Donations for the Higher Grades in the Rosebud School.....	50.42
Life Memberships.....	15.00
Donations for the Virginia Conference Orphanage.....	9.00
Donation for work among the Mexicans in Texas.....	2.00

Home Department Fund.....	3.40
Total receipts during the year.....	\$6,864.46
In bank and on hand November, 1916.....	359.69
Grand Total.....	\$7,224.15

Disbursements.

Instituto Laurens, Monterey, Mexico:

Salaries, Principal and Teachers.....	\$2,500.00	
New Desks and incidental School expenses.....	500.00	
		\$3,000.00
Donations to the Virginia Conference Orphanage..	\$ 9.00	
Donation for work among the Mexicans in Texas..	2.00	
Home Department, Auxiliary Societies.....	3.40	
		\$ 14.40

Literature, Helps, etc., for the Auxiliary Societies and Wayside Rosebud Workers:

159,000 monthly programmes and mailing same...	\$ 308.94	
20,000 Easter offering envelopes and additional Easter helps and mailing same.....	77.63	
19,272 mite-receivers, 20,000 leaflets, Company Plan outfits, etc., and mailing same.....	163.71	
1,250 combination mite-boxes and mailing same...	23.42	
530 R. M. S. gold and silver badges.....	301.23	
29,000 leaflets, 18,000 envelopes and cards, 9,000 <i>Advocate</i> page reprints, roll books, gift books, coin collectors, special programmes, music, recitations, etc.....	294.49	
Postage on letters, literature, badges, etc.....	98.16	
Office space and services to the <i>Advocate</i> Publishing Company in exchange for printing the Rosebud page in the <i>Advocate</i>	100.00	
		\$1,367.58

Home Office:

Salary, Secretary and Treasurer and assistants....	\$1,500.00	
Office expenses, including rent, heat and light....	161.12	
Traveling expenses, members Board of Managers..	18.05	
		\$1,679.17
Total disbursements during the year.....	\$6,061.15	
In bank and on hand November, 1917.....	1,163.00	
Grand Total.....	\$7,224.15	

New Rosebud Societies organized during the year.....	10
Number of new members reported.....	1,452
Number of conversions reported.....	373
Number of deaths reported.....	53

BANNER SOCIETIES.

Circuit District Banner Societies.

Charlottesville District—Trinity Society, Batesville Circuit.
 Danville District—Hycos Society, Shady Grove, Hycos Circuit.
 Eastern Shore District—Franktown Laurens Society, Franktown.
 Farmville District—"No-Dead-One" Society, Fletcher's, Kenbridge Circuit.
 Lynchburg District—Epworth Society, Thaxton, Montvale Circuit.
 Norfolk District—Oxford Society, Oak Grove, South Norfolk Circuit.
 Petersburg District—Manson's Society, South Dinwiddie Circuit.
 Portsmouth and Newport News District—Boykins Society, Boykins Circuit.
 Rappahannock District—Bellamy's Society, Gloucester Circuit.
 Richmond District—Greenwood Society, Hanover Circuit.

Station District Banner Societies.

Charlottesville District—Crozet Society, Crozet.
 Danville District—John E. Edwards Society, Mt. Vernon, Danville.
 Eastern Shore District—Craddockville Society, Craddockville.
 Farmville District—Franklin Kerns Society, Boydton.
 Lynchburg District—Lynchburg Memorial Society, Memorial, Lynchburg.
 Norfolk District—Cheerful Workers Society, Brambleton Avenue, Norfolk.
 Petersburg District—Hope Society, High Street, Petersburg.
 Portsmouth and Newport News District—Merritt Society, Trinity, Smithfield.
 Rappahannock District—Bethany Society, Bethany Station.
 Richmond District—Starr Society, Broad Street, Richmond.

Conference Banner Societies.

Circuit Conference Banner Society—Hickory Society, South Norfolk Circuit.
 Station Conference Banner Society—Epworth Society, Norfolk.

Banner District and Banner Circuit.

Banner District in the Conference—Rappahannock District.
 Banner Circuit in the Conference—South Norfolk Circuit.

FRANK L. KERNS, *Treasurer.*

BOARD OF LAY ACTIVITIES.

Your Board has endeavored during the past year to be worthy of its name. In the exercise of this activity among the charges, it has been compelled of necessity to see, and to some extent analyze, the status of the work as found, especially in the light of conditions by which we in Virginia are surrounded during these trying days in the history of our national life.

If asked to point out the weakest point in the conduct of our Church as a whole, we should say unquestionably, that it was a "lack of every-day energized efficiency, which is plainly the result of a lack of vision or an adequate appreciation of our duty and responsibilities to the church, as compared with the other claims by which we are daily surrounded, and which ask support at our hands."

These days in which we are now living are fraught with grave responsibilities; the need for a proper understanding of stewardship was never so great as now. The war with all its attendant evils is here. No State feels it more keenly than Virginia, in whose borders there are now not less than 300,000 men gathered together, separated from all restraint of home and loved ones. We cannot blame some one else for the fact that war exists, for this is as nearly a holy war as history has ever recorded. In fact, it can be truthfully said, that it has been the doctrine and teachings of the Church itself in the hearts of the Christian men of America from our President down, that actually caused our own country to enter it.

This, then, is not the question now; time is past for that; the problem of the hour is, are we sufficiently efficient in organization and conduct to meet the responsibilities, practically of our own volition thrust upon us now, not to say those that are to follow when this conflict ceases. We are compelled to answer no, and the reason for the lack of efficiency is not found in a deficiency of goodness or loyalty.

There are no better people on earth than our own. It is simply a lack of proper understanding. Brethren, the Church is the Mother of the Y. M. C. A., of the Red Cross, and the hundreds of other equally deserving forms of Christian service now daily claiming support of the church members of the nation. If this be true, why should we be willing to delegate all this aggressive and efficient work to these organizations, and with our country thinking, talking and acting in terms of millions, and even billions, we are here enjoying ourselves in passive Christian fellowship, discussing the measure of our efficiency for the year just closed, in terms which announce to the world that, while we as individuals have been most liberal to these many causes, yet the best we could do for the support of our Church in these strenuous war times at home, and also the evangelization of the world abroad, was a total of \$9.52 per member per year, or, in other words, seven cents per member per week for a godly, educated man and his patient, self-sacrificing family; and for all benevolences, missions and all the other causes, 11½ cents a week per member. Besides, we will hear of District after District failing to meet its paltry but solemn obligations to the Church in the matter of assessments in full.

No, brethren, we cannot impress the world in this manner; certainly not

in these times of earnestness and zeal displayed in so many other directions. We, therefore, plead with our pastors and laymen to go home to your people and tell them that, like Paul aforetime, the scales are still on their eyes. They have not the right apprehension of duty and obligation. Ask them what right have they to give \$100 or \$500 to the Red Cross, as god-like and deserving as it is, and still hand the pastor \$10.00 or \$25.00 for the support of God's Church, to whom they solemnly vowed to "attend upon her ordinances and support her institutions."

We plead for a broader vision, and the pastor needs it as much as the laymen. Men will rally to an adequate programme for service when they take no interest in a small or meagre one. We, therefore, hope this Conference will—it may be at the expense of much else—authorize its Board of Missions to inaugurate an instant appeal to the churches of our Conference to place \$100,000 on the altar of the Church for War Emergency Evangelistic work. Also \$10,000 for the relief of our Missionaries in the field, whom we are in honor bound to support and protect, and whose compensation has been reduced nearly one half as a result of the decline in exchange.

It was because of the knowledge of the inconsistency of these existing conditions several years ago that your Board of Lay Activities at the last Conference announced its determination to concentrate its efforts largely on one District, to see if it could not have its efficiency raised in a number of vital items of church conduct, and after thought, prayer and conference, and through the hearty and enthusiastic effort of the presiding elder, the Eastern Shore District was chosen as a rural District in which to make this effort.

It is, therefore, an especial pleasure to herewith supplement the report of the presiding elder already made, in announcing to the Conference that the goal set has thus been reached on this splendid District with the year's record of these items as follows:

UNDER ITEM NO. 1. "A JUST RETURN TO THE MINISTRY."

Salaries have been increased this year, \$3,100 on 24 charges, and this in addition to \$3,000 the previous year, or a total increase of 25%, 24 pastors receiving \$28,284 or \$1,131 each, or an average of \$411 above the average for the Conference.

Highest amount to be paid this year \$2,000, with a \$6,500 parsonage, by a country village congregation of 150 to 175 people.

UNDER ITEM NO. 2. "THE PAYMENT OF EVERY ASSESSMENT IN FULL."

This marvelous record has been accomplished absolutely in full, without an outside contribution of one dollar.

Listen, Brethren; eleven charges failed to pay out last year, and seven never paid in all their history before; one not in 58 years. Truly, it can be done even in the poorest rural sections.

UNDER ITEM NO. 3. "THE MOST ACTIVELY DEVELOPED MISSIONARY SPIRIT."

The District now supports four missionaries, as follows:

One at a salary of \$1,200; two at \$1,000 each; one at \$600; total, \$3,800. This in addition to many specials. An increase this year of three missionaries from this country District, or one-seventh of the number increased by the whole Southern Methodist Church.

Truly, it is a fact, that the more given for missions, the more there is left for other things at home. A broader vision is what is needed.

UNDER ITEM NO. 7. "ORGANIZED BIBLE CLASS WORK."

A wonderful record of 120 regularly organized Wesley classes for men; nearly one hundred percent. of the churches.

UNDER ITEM NO. 8. "ALL CHARGES SELF SUPPORTING."

Last year, and for all time previously, 8 charges dependent upon the Conference Mission Board; amount appropriated each year \$1,600.

The coming year every charge gives up its appropriation and not one cent will be asked of the Board for the support of any charge in the District.

Five of the above eight have already raised the money for their pastors themselves. The last three expect fully to do so, and in order that they may be given the benefit of the doubt, a few neighboring laymen, under the leadership of the presiding elder, and the two District leaders, have placed in the bank \$400, in order that the three preachers may not suffer, should Hog Island, with 45 members, and Dorchester, with 100 members, find it impossible to raise the whole amount.

Your Board wishes to testify to the indefatigable efforts and intelligent co-operation of the presiding elder in helping to make this remarkable event possible, and also to what consecrated District leaders can do.

This accomplishment should be an occasion of great rejoicing, for it is a living exemplification of the fact that this degree of efficiency can be attained in any other portion of our Church, just in proportion to the zeal and consecration expended.

This is no effort to unduly magnify the actions of one District over others. This District has not yet begun to realize its duty or its ability, and we should lose sight of it as such, and rejoice in the fact that it is the first District to even present itself thus efficient and self-respecting in the history of the Church. It is the wonderful good that must follow through the force of example, and the fostering of the spirit of emulation that will thus assist others throughout the length and breadth of our Southern Church to go and do likewise. This is why your Board has placed such emphasis on it.

It will be the purpose of your Board to induce other Districts to undertake a similar effort the coming year. Already the Norfolk District has asked to be the first city District to join this honor roll.

Your Board, acting according to the unanimous request of eight of the ten District Conferences last year, beg to again submit the following resolutions:

1. That, in view of present conditions, and after a thorough investigation by the Conference Board of Lay Activities, the Annual Conference be asked to adopt the report and recommendations of the Board of Lay Activities, in so far as it relates to ministerial support, in asking for a salary for married men of not less than \$900 per annum, exclusive of parsonage or rent of residence, and not less than \$600 to unmarried preachers in full connection.

2. That our presiding Bishop be asked to co-operate with this request, as far as he can find it possible and consistent to do so.

3. That the Board of Missions and the Conference are hereby urged to continue the office of Conference Missionary Secretary, believing that this office is vitally necessary to the continued fostering and growth of the missionary spirit of our people and the corresponding results following therefrom.

4. That, in view of the present cost of living and the outlook for a continuance of the same, the Laymen of all charges, both rural and urban, are hereby urged to see that some measure of increase in the salary of their pastors be provided not later than the meeting of the first Quarterly Conference.

5. That all Boards of Stewards of circuits and rural charges be and they are hereby requested to provide their preachers with transportation to and from the Annual Conference.

T. S. SOUTHGATE,
Chairman.

DISTRICT LAY LEADERS.

[The following list was prepared by the Conference Lay Leader, T. S. Southgate, and is published at his request.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

Charlottesville District: Leader, J. N. Walker, Mineral, Va.; Associate, Dr. H. P. Myers, Forks of Buffalo, Va.

Danville District: Leader, H. O. Kerns, Sutherlin, Va.; Associate, W. H. Bowles, Rocky Mount, Va.

Eastern Shore District: Leader, G. I. McAllen, Sea View, Va.; Associate, G. William Phillips, Salisbury, Md.

Farmville District: Leader, H. E. Barrow, Farmville, Va.

Lynchburg District: Leader, T. O. Wogam, Thaxton, Va.

Norfolk District: Leader, J. W. Hough, Norfolk, Va.

Petersburg District: Leader, John R. Doyle, McKenney, Va.

Portsmouth District: Leader, Frank E. Crocker, Portsmouth, Va.; Associate, E. Frank Story, Franklin, Va.

Rappahannock District: Leader, J. C. McKenney, Brookvale, Va.; Associate, B. T. Hart, Ark, Va.

Richmond District: Leader, O. S. Morton, Richmond, Va.

BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

We are glad to say that more money was raised for Church Extension this Conference year than in any other in the history of our Conference. While there were fewer churches than usual asking aid of the Board, there were more parsonages. This indicates a growing interest on the part of the Church in making the men that serve comfortable while they serve. In this we are becoming wise; for no man can do his best work unless comfortably housed. Both our churches and parsonages should, by all means, have every comfort we can give. There were seven applications from churches and six from parsonages, asking donations amounting to \$4,060. Two churches asked for loans.

Contributed this year by pastoral charges.....	\$17,802.05
Balance from last year, including interest.....	688.56

Total.....	\$18,490.61
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The following distribution was made:

To the Representative Church, Washington, D. C.....	\$ 3,540.00
To the General Board of Church Extension.....	7,231.03
Added to our Conference Loan Fund.....	3,240.00
Donated to churches.....	2,310.00
Donated to parsonages.....	1,400.00
Expenses.....	50.00

Total distributed.....	\$17,771.03
Balance on hand.....	719.58

Total.....	\$18,490.61
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Donations were made to the following churches:

Sperryville Church, Rappahannock Circuit, Charlottesville District, Rappahannock County, Va. (Conditional).....	\$ 200.00
Glenwood, Scuth Halifax Circuit, Danville District, Halifax County (Conditional).....	250.00
Schoolfield, Schoolfield Charge, Danville District, Pittsylvania County, Va.....	800.00
Centenary Church, Sussex Circuit, Petersburg District, Sussex County, Va. (Conditional).....	500.00
Ruther Glen, Caroline Circuit, Richmond District, Caroline County, Va.....	100.00
Scottsburg, East Halifax Circuit, Danville District, Halifax County, Va. (Conditional).....	250.00
Broad Street, Alta Vista, Lynchburg District, Campbell County, Va.....	210.00

Total.....	\$ 2,310.00
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The following donations were made to parsonages:

Victoria, Victoria, Farmville District, Lunenburg County, Va. (Conditional).....	\$ 250.00
Williamsburg, Williamsburg, Portsmouth and Newport News District, James City County, Va. (Conditional).....	200.00
North Bedford, Big Island, Lynchburg District, Bedford County, Va. (Conditional).....	250.00
Colonial Beach, Colonial Beach, Rappahannock District, Westmoreland County, Va.....	250.00
West Amherst, Pedlar Mills, Charlottesville District, Amherst County, Va. (Conditional).....	250.00
South Bedford, Huddleston, Lynchburg District, Bedford County, Va. (Conditional).....	200.00
Total.....	\$ 1,400.00
Total distributed.....	\$ 3,710.00

While our Loan Fund is not so large as some of the Loan Funds, it is making a very interesting and creditable growth. When the Church fully realizes the importance and value of this Fund, its growth will be still more rapid. We now have in that Fund \$15,854.43.

A loan of \$1,000 to Thomas Branch Memorial Church, made last year, was not placed. That is now cancelled.

The Board made the following loans this year:

St. Andrew's Church, Salisbury, Md.....	\$ 200.00
Trinity Church, Prince George Circuit, Va.....	\$ 1,500.00
Total loans.....	\$ 1,700.00

The assessment for Church Extension put by the General Board upon this Conference for the year 1918 is \$17,220.00. This, with the \$4,000 for the Representative Church, Washington, D. C., makes a total assessment of \$21,220.00. This is the same as last year.

In financing our Church this Board is filling an important place. We must build churches to the glory of God and parsonages for sheltering the shepherds. Let our pastors and people know what we are doing, and they will come with glad hearts to the aid of this Board. We respectfully request that due attention be given this subject at our District Conferences.

We would suggest that more attention be given to keeping all property insured, and that in making applications to this Board the amount of insurance carried on the buildings desired to be aided should be stated.

It has too frequently been true that our churches have been unsightly in appearance and badly arranged. We thus lose the esthetic element, that should ever be a part of architecture, and efficiency, that should ever be the first objective in all church work. In order to avoid these serious defects, Dr. Mc Murry, our General Church Extension Secretary, has associated with him, as an architect, Rev. J. A. Baylor, and will thereby be able to give necessary architectural assistance.

Again we ask that the brethren make their applications in due time. All applications to the General Board should be in the hands of the secretary not later than March first. By action of the Board, all applications to the Conference Board must be in the hands of the secretary not later than November first.

W. J. TWILLEY,
Secretary.

CHAS. W. HARDWICKE,
President.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Your Board presents the following resolutions:

1. That we rejoice in the continued prosperity of the schools and colleges of our Church within the bounds of the Virginia Conference. There are no better schools in this country in the grade of work which they do than Randolph-Macon College, Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Blackstone College for Girls, Randolph-Macon Academy at Bedford City, Randolph-Macon Institute at Danville, and Ferrum Training School. We urge our people to examine the great advantages offered by these institutions, which are not only fully equal to any other institutions in educational standards, but which emphasize the vital importance of moral and spiritual culture. Our pastors and laymen are urged to look out the choice young men and women of our homes and churches, and secure them as students for our own Church schools.

2. That the Treasurer of the Annual Conference is hereby instructed to pay out of the Annual Conference Expense Fund to the Treasurer of the Conference Board of Education \$150, for the expenses of the Board of Education for the coming year.

3. That the Joint Board of Finance is hereby instructed to apportion \$5,453, to meet the assessment for education laid by the General Conference; \$12,000 for the benefit of Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, Va.; and \$2,500 for Ministerial Training, the amount collected to be divided pro rata for the three causes named. The amount collected for Ministerial Training is to be paid to the Treasurer of the Conference Board of Education, by whom twenty per cent. of the same shall be forwarded to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at Atlanta, Ga., and the remaining eighty per cent. shall be used by the Conference Board of Education to assist in the training of young men for the ministry of our Church in accordance with the regulations fixed by that Board.

4. That the Virginia Conference hereby places on record its high appreciation of the work which is being done by Dr. R. H. Bennett as Director of the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training. The Conference urges all undergraduates to avail themselves of the great advantages offered to them by the Correspondence School of the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training, and the Examining Committees of our Conference are requested to require all undergraduates to take the work of the Correspondence School as a necessary preparation for their examinations.

5. That we hereby request the General Board of Education of our Church to continue the appropriation of \$1,000 for the Ferrum Training School for the coming year.

6. That, in view of the ever-increasing importance of the Educational work of our Conference, and the great need for additional building, equipment, and endowment, in order that our schools and colleges may measure up fully to the requirements of present day educational standards, it is the sense of this Conference that not less than \$2,000,000 should be raised for building, equipping and endowing our Conference schools and colleges. For the carrying out of this purpose the Board of Education is hereby instructed to appoint an Educational Commission, which shall set as the ultimate goal of its efforts the securing of \$2,000,000 for the purposes aforesaid. In the prosecution of its work the Commission shall set as its immediate objective the securing of \$100,000 in scholarships of \$1,000 each for Randolph-Macon College, and the completion of the Fund of \$100,000, already started, for the building, equipment and endowment of Blackstone College for Girls.

7. That the presiding elders and pastors are urged to put into effect the plan of the Board of Education, requiring the appointment of Boards of Education for circuits, stations and districts, which Boards shall co-operate with the officers of our schools and colleges in securing students, and shall co-operate with the Educational Commission, to be constituted by this report, in raising the amounts needed for the successful maintenance of our educational work.

8. That the Board of Education has heard with great interest the remarks of Dr. Stonewall Anderson, Secretary of the General Conference Board of Education, especially his explanation of the resolution adopted by the General Conference Board of Education at its last session, as follows:

"Resolved, That we recommend that all the institutions which are under the care of the General Board of Education, and which have been classified by the General Board of Education, be requested by the Secretary of the Board to give due regard to the classification of the schools and colleges adopted by the Board, and to so correlate their work as to minimize friction, and to obtain the greatest possible strength and efficiency for all the schools and colleges which are under the care of the Board."

We believe that the policy of our Church for the closer correlation of all our institutions of learning, as set forth in the above resolution is wise, and is necessary for the conservation and development of our educational work, and we urge the Trustees of Randolph-Macon College to follow the policy of the Church as laid down by the action of the General Conference, in order that friction and competition may be prevented, and that the educational system of our Virginia Conference may be strengthened and built up by the active and genuine co-operation of all its parts.

9. That we recommend the confirmation of W. B. Roper as a Trustee of Randolph-Macon College.

10. We request the presiding Bishop to appoint E. H. Rowe as President of the Southern Seminary, Buena Vista, Virginia; S. C. Hatcher as Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer of Randolph-Macon College, Ashland,

Virginia; James Cannon, Jr., as President of Blackstone College for Girls, Blackstone, Virginia, and as Superintendent of the Southern Assembly at Lake Junaluska, North Carolina; W. J. Young and W. A. Smart as professors in the Candler School of Theology, Atlanta, Georgia; B. M. Beckham as Principal, and J. W. Carroll as Financial Agent, of Ferrum Training School; Dumas Malone as Adjunct Professor of English Bible at Randolph-Macon Woman's College; W. A. Christian as Commissioner of Emory University for the Virginia Conference; and B. S. Via and R. R. Burnett as students at Emory University.

EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS.

The educational statistics for the year ending June, 1917, are as follows:

Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, Va., present chief officer, R. E. Blackwell, President; value of grounds, buildings and appliances, \$149,000; endowment, \$449,000; officers and teachers, 23; students, 186.

Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg, Va., present chief officer, W. A. Webb, President; value of grounds, buildings and appliances, \$464,289.08; endowment, \$390,619.11; officers and teachers, 65; students, 604.

Blackstone College for Girls, Blackstone, Va., present chief officer, James Cannon, Jr., President; value of grounds, buildings and appliances, \$175,000; officers and teachers, 33; students, 389.

Randolph-Macon Academy, Bedford City, Va., present chief officer, E. Sumter Smith, Principal; value of grounds, buildings and appliances, \$130,000; officers and teachers, 13; students, 213.

Randolph-Macon Institute, Danville, Va., present chief officer, Chas. G. Evans, Principal; value of grounds, buildings and appliances, \$119,000; officers and teachers, 26; students, 340.

Ferrum Training School, Ferrum, Va., present chief officer, B. M. Beckham, Principal; value of grounds, buildings and appliances, \$70,000; officers and teachers, 10; students, 240.

Total value of grounds, buildings and appliances, \$1,107,289.08; endowment, \$839,619.11; officers and teachers, 170; students, 1,972.

Your Board of Education, in accordance with the plan adopted at the last Conference, has received approximately \$1,600, for the Ministerial Loan Fund of the Conference, and has made the following loans to the persons named below:

W. K. Cunningham, Richmond, Va., \$125; W. H. Euston, \$100; Mr. Upton, \$100; Jesse Hobbs, \$100; O. M. Blackwell, \$100; Geo. Spicer, \$125; A. E. Brewer, \$125; J. D. Burford, \$125; R. B. Morriss, \$125; W. E. Thomas, \$100; W. W. Morse, \$100; Emmett Snead, \$100; total, \$1,325.

JAMES CANNON, JR.,
Secretary.

R. E. BLACKWELL,
President.

SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

The great need for religious instruction among our people was never more urgent and needed than at the present. While the present generations are fighting on the battlefield and in the trenches, endeavoring to establish conditions which will make for righteousness and the general upbuilding of the Kingdom of God, the next generation is in the process of becoming the men and women who will have to face the changed conditions that will follow. This brings home to us in an unmistakable manner the need we have to strengthen every agency which is responsible for the way in which this coming generation shall meet those times. The Sunday school as an institution for religious education must be viewed from this viewpoint, and the immediate future must find us reckoning with this agency in a way which will enable it to meet the demands upon it.

The work of your Board during the past year has looked to the setting forth of plans by which it is hoped and believed our work will be increased ultimately in power and effectiveness.

We desire to thank the Conference for the co-operation it has manifested in seeking to build up this activity of the Church along lines of enlistment and holding of members, the seeking after stated goals, the making clear of the purposes of religious education in the Sunday School and the training of officers and teachers through training classes, workers' councils, institutes, and the reading of good literature. During the coming year it is our purpose to continue to emphasize these things in every way open to us.

We desire to give special emphasis to making the work of our District Sunday school organization effective, thus carrying out a provision of the Discipline. We look to this as a potential agency for the enlargement of our work.

We wish to co-operate in making the Seaside Assembly more of a force for real service, if the authorities in charge continue their plans for another year. We invested \$200 in this interest the past year.

We commend most heartily the Lake Junaluska Training School, to be held next year, July 23rd to August 4th. The splendid success of this School last summer under the direction of our fellow-member, Rev. J. W. Shackford, who is rendering such a notable service to the entire Church as Superintendent of Teacher Training, gives us much pleasure. We urge our people to attend this School for workers in large numbers. The work there is genuinely educational, as well as inspirational.

We would direct your attention to the joint action of the General Sunday School Board and the General Board of Education in recommending that certain courses in religious education be introduced into our educational institutions. We very much desire that our own schools and colleges shall provide as early as practicable for such courses for the training of our young men and women for future service in the Church.

We endorse the recommendations of the General Sunday School Board, that our Sunday Schools be asked to aid in the program of food conservation, and that they be requested to make a special free will offering at Christmas time for Armenian and Syrian Relief, the same to be forwarded to Rev.

E. B. Chappell, Nashville, Tenn., he being in charge of the funds for this cause.

We ask that the Conference continue to lay emphasis on the observance of Children's Day, with the idea of securing the observance of that day in every school in the Conference as directed by the Discipline. We believe that the day may be made more educational, and the offering received on that day will thus be increased, and your Board thereby aided in the financing of its work. With increased funds from this source your Board feels that it will be able to enlarge the work it is now doing, and make it more capable of establishing this activity of the Church, so that it will more and more commend itself to the thinking and acting people in every community.

Four volunteer workers have been appointed to serve under our Field Secretary, these to be known as Superintendents of Teacher Training, Organized Bible Classes, Elementary, and Home Department work.

We recommend that the names and addresses of our Sunday school superintendents be printed in the Conference Annual. We believe that this list will be a valuable one for many reasons.

We thank our General Sunday School Board for its co-operation during the year in so many ways, notably by sending into our territory general workers to assist our Field Secretary. We had visits during the year from Rev. C. D. Bulla, Superintendent of Wesley Bible Class Work, Mr. J. M. Way, Divisional Field Secretary, and Miss Minnie E. Kennedy, Elementary Superintendent. We are grateful for the presence of our Sunday School Editor, Dr. E. B. Chappell, who is with us on this occasion.

We wish to thank the Baltimore and Richmond Christian Advocate for the page devoted to Sunday School Work during the year, which page has been edited each week by our Field Secretary.

We wish to thank the people of Toano charge, and especially the pastor, Rev. J. K. Walker, for the significant amount contributed to the work of this Board on Children's Day; this charge with two schools reported a total of \$100. Other charges did well also, and we have called attention to them in the current issue of the Advocate.

Our Board feels that it has been exceedingly fortunate in the choice of a Field Secretary, Mr. M. W. Brabham, a layman whose gifts and training so well fit him to lead forward the Sunday School interests of our Conference on lines both thoroughgoing and constructive. Many of us have already come to know him and appreciate the valuable work he is doing. His services are at your disposal, and engagements for institutes may be made with him without cost to you, either through the presiding elders, or directly with his office. Those desiring to make such engagements should endeavor to do so at least a month or more in advance.

This Conference is potentially a great one for Sunday school work and achievement, but in reality much is yet to be done before we can be said to have "arrived" in a Sunday school way. May this year find us moving forward constructively, intelligently, energetically and enthusiastically,

with each school becoming more and more an institution dedicated to the sacred task of winning and training in Christian service.

W. T. WILLIAMS,
Secretary.

E. T. DADMUN,
President.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

I submit herewith a financial statement in condensed form, showing amount of receipts and disbursements during the Conference year 1916-'17.

C. F. Comer, Treasurer, in Account with the Virginia Conference Sunday School Board.

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Balance on hand, November 15, 1916.....	\$ 140.87
Error in books.....	4.33
Certificates of deposit.....	1,700.00
Joint Board of Finance, 1916.....	2,211.51
Joint Board of Finance, 1917.....	1,526.22
From Pastors direct, C. D. Fund, 1917.....	1,784.65
Smith and Lamar, balance remitted.....	1.56
T. G. Pullen, amount refunded.....	5.50
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	\$ 7,374.64

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Disbursements (see report to Board).....	\$ 3,742.10
Certificate of Deposit in hand.....	1,700.00
Interest received.....	69.23
In hands of Joint Board.....	1,526.22
In Citizens' Bank, Blackstone.....	337.09
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	\$ 7,374.64
Balance on hand.....	\$ 3,632.54
Unpaid Bills.....	887.70
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Net balance on hand, November 20, 1917.....	\$ 2,744.84

C. F. COMER,
Treasurer.

Examined and found correct:

J. W. GRANDY,	} <i>Auditing Committee.</i>
R. FRANK BARR,	

FIELD SECRETARY'S REPORT.

I submit herewith my First Annual Report as Field Secretary of your Sunday School Board.

This report will set forth the plans of the year just ending, and will also indicate the lines which I think the work should follow during the next Conference year.

Plans for enlisting new members in the Sunday School: These suggestions have been given for the guidance of our workers in this field: Let the appeal for membership be based on information obtained through the taking of a religious census; this information placed in the hands of particular classes and committees, bearing in mind that the invitation must have a personal appeal and be founded on personal interest. This has been urged on the ground of effective work, the emphasis being on making the school draw by its own degree of genuine helpfulness to the community. Enlistment has been discouraged as an end in itself. I have endeavored to show that winning a new member is of no more importance than holding an old one. To hold members, membership must be made worth while; it must be made to stand for something. This means that our officers and teachers must be made to feel that a pupil has a right to demand something very definite in return for the investment of sixty or more minutes in the school. Good records, putting emphasis upon regularity, punctuality, giving systematically, home reading of the Bible, church attendance, together with a historical record providing for a continuous manifestation of interest in the pupil on such days as birthdays, promotions, and festivals of the Church, will do much to keep the pupil as an active member; especially in order to keep in close touch with the home through monthly or quarterly reports we should provide a good system of records. The home and community must be kept actively in touch with the work of the school, particularly its place as a contributor to the educational life of the pupil. It is only on this basis that members may be truly won and held in the school.

The value and necessity of the school, and the Conference at large, having a definite goal toward which it shall work, has been a point which has been put forward in numerous ways. The task of the local school is the task of the Conference. A special thing to work for and to for the year, for the quarter, and for each month, is imperative. To really arrive anywhere we must move; but this is not more important than to know clearly toward what we are moving. The boast of a school that it continues in session throughout the year is small comfort, unless the school knows what it is meeting for, and is striving to reach the desired goal. The Standard of Efficiency has been held before our people as one thing to be guided by. This Standard, if correctly interpreted, may be the means of bringing about a number of most desirable things. This is especially true when coupled with the extra-standards as promoted by the several departments of our General Sunday School Board. I find a very faulty understanding of what it really means to reach the Standard, and a fresh interpretation of it seems very necessary in most communities. But the Standard is not all; it has been worth while, I think, to try to bring the superintendent, the teacher,

and each organized class, to see that certain specific things should be undertaken at times which seem to be more favorable than others for such steps. A definite goal for each worker, for each season of the year, is not too much to hope for as the task to be accepted.

Instruction is the third point which has received attention as a part of a definite plan for our work. This has involved many discussions of the relative value of the International Uniform Lessons and the International Graded Lessons. It is hardly necessary for me to say that I am urging the use of the Graded Lessons invariably; but this urging is done with certain qualifications, such as the putting in of this course only in part to begin with, rather than an attempt to put them in throughout the school at once.

Instruction has had coupled with it, in no minor or unimportant manner, the urgent need for better equipment. It is deplorable as a matter of religious education, when we see thousands of dollars invested without knowledge of the true ways for meeting the needs of our Sunday school members. No building should be erected in this day which ignores the departmental ideal of Sunday School architecture; many buildings are forty years out of date before they are completed or dedicated. This means that I have urged graded worship as well as graded instruction.

But the matter of instruction involves other things also. Instruction determines the present and future attitudes of our people toward the great interests of the Church and Nation. Missions, temperance, proper appreciation of sacred things; attitude toward Church membership, education, and the benevolences of the Church, these and other things must be considered as a vital part of our program of instruction.

Training is the fourth thing which has claimed my attention as a part of the definite plan for our work. The Workers' Council meeting each month with clear cut ideas to be discussed; the attendance upon institutes such as those at Virginia Beach and Lake Junaluska, as well as the smaller gatherings to which reference will be made; the reading of good books bearing particularly upon the work of the Church School, and finally the highly-important matter of the Standard Teacher Training Course for officers and teachers, both present and potential; these things have been exalted, exhibited and urged. This latter subject in a special sense has been presented as an item which must have a specific place in our definite plan.

Teacher Training depends on the leader. This leader must not depend on mere goodness to hold a class in a study of this kind. In the first place, the selection of the class membership will determine the initial success or failure of the plan. We are urging especially that pastors themselves take the course now offered, even if perchance they have taken more than its equivalent many times. We have not declared in any case that the pastor should lead the class himself, but we have emphatically declared that he should take the course, and also that it is to him that the Church looks to see that the class is formed and carried on. The class of young people meeting at the Sunday School hour has been promoted as the most hopeful plan of success in the local school. We have also indicated the value of

the present books to those already at work as officers and teachers, and have not undervalued the opportunity for an individual to take the course by correspondence, if he had not access to a class.

The particular place of the Church School and College in the direct training of young men and women has been magnified in every possible manner. While most of these are giving some very fine instruction in the study of the Bible and general psychology and pedagogy, our denomination in Virginia can not yet proclaim any distinct work for the training of Sunday School workers in keeping with the plans of our General Sunday School Board. This is a work we must endeavor to advance.

These four things have constituted the definite plans for the year's work: Enlistment and holding; a Stated Goal; Instruction; and Training. And in them all, the place which evangelism should hold has received decided emphasis.

In our endeavor to get these things before our workers there have been several plans followed. Correspondence with certain literature enclosed, personal interviews, a weekly page in the Baltimore-Richmond Christian Advocate, and the various types of conferences and institutes; these have been carried on regularly throughout the year. The institutes have been particularly emphasized, and have been well attended in most instances. That you might be acquainted with the nature of these meetings, I briefly set forth a description of several types.

There has been the institute for a single school. This is frequently of one day's duration. Many of these have been held through the week, while every Sunday has been engaged in one type of work or another. These one-day meetings would usually mean a gathering of from ten to five hundred people; for the purposes of our work, usually better results have been obtained with a limited attendance, rather than a picnic gathering. In this meeting, as in others, discussions, open conferences, and informal talks prevailed, rather than the address.

Then we have had the one-to-three-days' circuit gathering, where the workers of several schools came together in a country church, and other speakers took part in the program. The North Mecklenburg circuit seems to have worked out a good plan in observing every fifth Sunday as Sunday School Conference day, the meetings alternating with the several schools of the charge. The Circuit Standard is particularly worth while, and seems to be getting good results in this as well as other charges; it is an adaptation of the Standard of Efficiency in very practical ways.

The City Institute has been of much interest and apparently of value. Three-day meetings were held in Norfolk, Portsmouth, Newport News, Suffolk; a six-day meeting was held in Richmond. In each of these a high type of work was undertaken. We had the assistance of such workers as Miss Minnie E. Kennedy, Mr. J. M. Way, Miss Nannie Lee Frayser, Dr. Day, Dr. Crooks, and others, in several of these gatherings. The way seems to be open for a higher or more advanced type of work next year than the past. Text book work will be emphasized more and more, and the opening for Teacher Training Classes will thereby be made easier.

Rivermont Avenue in Lynchburg has carried on for two years a splendid

type of school, devoting an entire week in September to the work, and thus opening the fall campaign. Text book work has characterized this meeting in part both years, and with much enthusiastic success.

The District Sunday School Institute, which has been so successful in some other Conferences, has not yet made its way in the Virginia Conference, although two Districts have held such meetings this year, and in each instance the attendance and interest were of the best. These were in the Eastern Shore and Rappahannock Districts; the way seems to be open for others during the coming year. Personally I am looking to this District work to loom larger and larger as the work goes on. The possibilities of the District organization are vast, and that they can be made to succeed has been demonstrated beyond the shadow of a doubt. I do not speak from hearsay, or even from observation, but from personal experience.

The Virginia Beach Assembly deserves more success than has yet attended the efforts of Secretary Butts and his co-laborers. There are many reasons why this work should continue to be supported by this Board. The Sunday School program this year was one unsurpassed by that of any other such gathering in Virginia or elsewhere. The attendance was small, too small for the investment. With the development of the District Sunday School organization to undergird the larger movement, success seems to be inevitable.

Not all that I had hoped for has been accomplished during the year. Not all of the year has it been so easy to continue optimistic. But I feel that the way has been at least opened for your Board to do a larger work, and I trust that it may be so.

The engagements of the past year have been made for the most part directly with pastors, although in several Districts a number of engagements were made for me by the presiding elder. The map which I have used to indicate where meetings of one type and another have been held, will readily show that some sections of the Conference have seemed to desire my services more than others, or else it was more clearly understood in some Districts than in others that I was available for institute work. I have accepted the invitations in the order in which they came; practically all the year I have had more invitations than I could accept.

During the next Conference year I trust that the work of this Board may be to lay increased emphasis upon the things undertaken the past year, and if the time should seem ripe, that the Wesley Bible Class forces of the Conference may be brought together in a federation, such as has been held in other Conferences of the connection. The Lake Junaluska Training School should have a larger patronage from this Conference. And if the Virginia Beach Assembly is continued, the Sunday School workers must be made to see the importance of attending such a gathering.

I would like to recommend the appointment of four volunteer workers, one to serve as Superintendent of Teacher Training; one to serve as Superintendent of Elementary Work; one to serve as Superintendent of Organized Bible Classes; and one to serve as Superintendent of Home Department work. If you do not feel that you are in position to do this now, I would be glad for you to give me authority to name these during the year. These

workers would be under the direction of the Field Secretary's office, and would be correlated with the District organization.

I suggest that you discontinue the nominal appointment of District officers, and allow these to be elected by the District Sunday School Conference where such meetings are held, or by the Field Secretary in conjunction with the presiding elder and members of this Board residing within the District.

We must grow with the work, and the work is growing rapidly. This Conference has greater undeveloped possibilities in a Sunday school way than any I have known. It must now put the emphasis where it belongs, and where it has not hitherto been put with any great degree of enthusiasm or earnestness; namely, on the well-equipped and well-developed Sunday School; and when this has been done in a large and commanding manner, the interests of God's Kingdom will surely prosper, and there will be a steady growth from within, which means that God is ruling and guiding in all our affairs, and that the Church will be a thing in livest contact with life and pulsating with tremendous throbs of character-building and training.

M. W. BRABHAM,
Field Secretary.

EPWORTH LEAGUE BOARD.

Dr. John M. Moore, secretary of the Home Department of the Board of Missions, says: "The Epworth League still holds the first place among the agencies of the church for the winning, training and developing of the young people for the highest expression of their religious lives. It has been neglected, discredited, and in some places disbanded because it demanded direction, nurturing and sympathetic support."

Careful statistics of six Conferences show that in ten years over fifty per cent. of the young people who profess religion are lost to our Church. This takes no account of the appalling loss to the Church of those who drift out of the Sunday school, without having ever made a profession of religion. Sociability, friendship and love are mighty factors in winning men to God, and the Church without these essential qualities must languish and die. The necessity of methods for conserving the young life of the Church and turning its powers into channels of service is more real and urgent today than ever before in the history of the Church.

Can we afford to do without the League? The Bishops and General Conference have answered this question, and have made it our duty to give a fair trial to this very important branch of the work. It is now three years since the Epworth League work in the Virginia Conference was reorganized, and Mr. R. B. Proctor was elected president of the Epworth League Conference. Its advance since that time has been wonderful. There were then 54 Leagues in the Conference, and these were without much life. We report this year 110.

In three years' time, through the agency of the Virginia Conference Leagues, 85 volunteers have been enrolled for the ministry, or for mission-

ary work in the home or foreign fields. Over one thousand dollars has been raised this year by the Leagues of our Conference for the African Special.

We recommend:

1. That every pastoral charge shall have a representative at the next Epworth League Conference in June, 1918.
2. That presiding elders lay stress upon the League work in Quarterly and District Conferences.
3. That every pastor enter heartily into the "Big Drive," the purpose of which is to have a League in every church by April 1, 1918.

J. H. MOSS,
Chairman.

BIBLE SOCIETY BOARD.

The American Bible Society is recognized by all the evangelical churches in this country, and by their missionaries in all countries, as an institution which is doing a work essential to the enterprises of the Church of our common Master. It should be unnecessary to remind the preachers and members of these churches that the work of the Society should be appreciated and encouraged. While there is evidence of a growing interest, we feel that the work of the Society is not supported as it should be.

Since our last report, our nation has been forced into the great world-war. Thousands of our men have entered the training camps, or have gone to the front. They have left their homes, and the restraining influences connected with them. They are being subjected to peculiar temptations. They have always needed the Bible, but never more so than now. Realizing this, the American Bible Society, besides providing for the distribution of the thousands of copies of the Word of God through other agencies, has agreed to grant 1,000,000 copies of the New Testament to the National War Work Council of the Young Men's Christian Association, for distribution among our soldiers.

For the purpose of furnishing the Scriptures to our soldiers the Society is incurring obligations extending into thousands of dollars. To meet these it has decided to make an intensive campaign to raise an emergency fund of not less than \$400,000. The Society expects, and it has a right to ask, a hearty response from the churches, and such co-operation of the pastors as will insure the raising of this amount.

While the American Bible Society is putting special emphasis upon its war work at this time, it is not neglecting its regular work at home and abroad. The upheaval caused by this world-war is producing changes in the minds of men everywhere. Never before in the world's history has there been a greater need for the distribution of the Word of God, that in the reconstruction to follow the war the nations of the earth may not be worse, but better.

We offer the following recommendations:

1. That all our pastors be urged to assist in the campaign to be made in

December, to raise the emergency war-fund for the American Bible Society.

2. That the pastors of the various charges of our Conference be, and they are hereby, urged to take the regular collection for the American Bible Society as early in the year as possible.

W. G. BATES,

Chairman.

MEMORIALS TO THE GENERAL CONFERENCE.

REPORT NO. 1.

Your Committee on Memorials to the General Conference has had before it memorials submitted by John B. Winn and others, to which careful attention has been given, and concerning which the following report is respectfully submitted:

Memorial 1.—*Resolved*, That the Virginia Conference memorialize the General Conference so to change the law of our Church as to require that delegates to the District Conference shall be elected by those members of the Church Conference who are over 18 years of age. We recommend concurrence.

[The committee's recommendation was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

Memorial 2.—*Resolved*, That we, the Virginia Conference, memorialize the General Conference to amend section 5 of chapter 9 of the Discipline by adding the following paragraph:

Question: What shall be done when a member of our Church complains of a preacher, with the purpose of preventing his return for another year to the charge which he is serving?

Answer: When a member of our Church makes complaint of a preacher with the purpose of preventing his return for another year to the charge which he is serving, the member making the complaint shall deliver to the preacher against whom it is made a written statement of the complaint, at least two weeks before the meeting of the Annual Conference. If the complaint be made during the session of the Annual Conference, the member making the complaint shall deliver to the preacher against whom it is made a written statement of the complaint before it is made to the Bishop or the presiding elder. If any member shall complain of a preacher, with the purpose of preventing his return for another year to the charge which he is serving, and shall fail to deliver to the preacher against whom the complaint is made a written statement of the complaint as herein provided, he shall make himself liable to the charge of an attempt to injure a brother, and shall be dealt with as in the case of immorality.

We recommend that the word "immorality" be stricken out, and in its place the words "improper words, tempers and actions" be substituted, and thus amended we recommend concurrence.

[The committee's recommendation was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

G. H. LAMBETH,

Secretary.

J. B. WINN,

Chairman.

REPORT NO. 2.

Your committee has considered the following memorials:

I. Memorial from T. G. Laughon and others, as follows:

Resolved, That the Virginia Annual Conference memorialize the General Conference to change paragraph 156 of section 7 of the Discipline to read as follows: "To administer baptism and the Lord's Supper, and to solemnize the rite of matrimony in the absence of the elder."

The committee recommends concurrence.

[The recommendation of the committee was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

II. Memorial from J. E. Rogers and others:

We respectfully memorialize the General Conference to enact the following:

That each District Conference, on nomination of the presiding elder, shall elect a layman from the bounds of that district to represent the district on each of the Annual Conference Boards for four years, and let these men serve as members of the Annual Conference, in addition to the four laymen now annually elected.

Your committee amended this memorial to make it read as follows: We respectfully memorialize the General Conference to change the law of our Church so as to put the election of the lay members of all Boards of the Annual Conference in the hands of the District Conference, and that these members of the Boards so elected shall be members of the Annual Conference.

As so amended the committee recommends concurrence.

[The recommendation of the committee was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

III. Memorial signed by Manning Hank and J. Franklin Carey:

Resolved, That the Virginia Annual Conference respectfully memorialize the General Conference to give careful consideration to the problem of the Rural Church under present-day conditions, and to enact such legislation as it may deem wise or necessary to improve the efficiency of the Church in the rural communities.

The committee recommends concurrence.

[The recommendation of the committee was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

IV. Memorial signed by Lee G. Crutchfield and others:

Resolved, That the Virginia Annual Conference memorialize the General Conference to establish a rural church department, either in conjunction with the Department of Home Missions, or in any other way it may deem proper.

The committee recommends non-concurrence.

[The recommendation of the committee was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

V. Memorial signed by E. H. Rowe and J. B. Winn:

Resolved (1)—That the Virginia Conference memorializes the General Conference to create a commission of five or more ministers for investigations and studies and recommendations for such a reform in the modern system of education as will remedy its fundamental defect, by giving the spiritual nature of man a place in the curriculum of at least as much prominence as the intellectual, and if they find that questions of Church and State or of denominational differences seem to raise an insuperable obstacle, which we

do not believe will be so in a final analysis and true settlement of this great question, that they then take up the problem of formulating such a curriculum for the schools of the Church, inasmuch as the Church has its own schools from University down, and that in this curriculum provision shall be made for that branch of education known as Development as distinguished from Instruction, and that it be specially provided that the education of the spiritual nature shall be taken up at the same time as that of the intellectual, when the child begins its A, B, C's, and that it shall continue, co-ordinate, to the end of the course;

Resolved (2)—That the Methodist Episcopal Church and all other denominations be requested to co-operate by the creation of like commissions of ministers on spiritual education.

The committee recommends non-concurrence.

[The recommendation of the committee was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

VI. Memorial from the Norfolk District Conference requesting the Annual Conference to memorialize the General Conference to "enact such legislation as will place the selection of localities for churches and parsonages in the hands of an impartial commission, that shall consider carefully all features of the situation, and decide upon such locations as will produce the best results for the growth and development of the churches and the spread of the Gospel."

Your committee recommends non-concurrence, and gives as the reason therefor paragraph 443 of the Discipline.

[The recommendation of the committee was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

VII. A memorial which reads as follows and signed by W. W. Royall, Lee G. Crutchfield and L. J. Phaup: "*Resolved*, that the Virginia Conference memorialize the General Conference so to change the Discipline as to make the word "layman" wherever used in the law to include women, thereby allowing them to sit as lay members of the General, Annual and Quarterly Conferences, and to hold office as stewards and trustees."

Your committee recommends non-concurrence.

[The Conference rejected the committee's recommendation, and concurred in the memorial.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

VIII. A memorial from E. H. Powell, C. F. Comer and others, which reads as follows:

We, the Virginia Annual Conference, memorialize the General Conference to so amend our laws as that our ministers graduating from our theological seminaries—either from the English Theological department, or those taking the B. D. or S. T. D. Course—and presenting the certificate of graduation, this to be accepted in lieu of the courses of study both for the local and traveling ministry. And that the same be ordained local elders on being duly recommended. The Committee recommends non-concurrence.

[The recommendation of the committee was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

IX. A memorial from E. H. Powell, C. H. Comer and others, which reads as follows:

We, the Virginia Annual Conference, memorialize the General Conference to so change the laws of our Church that any unordained minister in charge of any appointment be authorized to administer the sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

The committee recommends non-concurrence.

[The recommendation of the committee was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

X. A memorial from J. C. Parker, Frank Talbott and others, which reads as follows:

The Virginia Annual Conference hereby memorializes the General Conference to make such changes in the Discipline as will require the stewards of a pastoral charge to be elected by the Church Conference, in accordance with such regulations as the General Conference may prescribe.

The committee recommends concurrence.

[The Conference rejected the committee's recommendation, and non-concurred in the Memorial.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

XI. A memorial signed by W. A. Christian, J. K. Jolliff, B. F. Lipscomb, H. E. Johnson and S. L. Dumville, reading as follows:

Resolved, That the Virginia Conference memorialize the General Conference to remove the time limit from the pastorate.

We recommend concurrence.

[The committee's recommendation was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

XII. Memorial signed by James Cannon, Jr., E. H. Rawlings, W. B. Beauchamp, Frank Talbott and John O. Moss, as follows:

The Virginia Conference hereby memorializes the General Conference to take the following action:

1. To divide the whole Church into Episcopal Districts, said Districts to be compact, and to be composed as far as possible of Conferences contiguous one to another.

2. To assign the Bishops to the Districts thus constituted for residential supervision for the ensuing quadrennium, the College of Bishops to determine the presidents of the several Annual Conferences as at present, with the proviso, that such presidency shall begin thirty days preceding the meeting of an Annual Conference, and shall terminate thirty days after the adjournment of said Conference, the Conference during the remainder of the year to be under the supervision of the Bishop in whose district it is located.

3. To require that each Bishop make quadrennially a written report of his administration of the Conferences composing the District over which he exercises residential supervision, such reports to be presented to the General Conference at an early stage of the session, and published as are the reports of the various connectional officers.

4. To require that Bishops in charge of Annual Conferences call the presiding elders of each of these Conferences together at some convenient place as early as practicable after the session of said Conferences, to confer with them concerning the needs of the field, and the plans for work for the ensuing Conference year.

5. To require that Bishops assigned to reside in Districts in the foreign field shall spend not less than one-half of their time on the Mission field.

We recommend concurrence.

[The recommendation of the committee was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

R. L. WINGFIELD,

Secretary.

J. B. WINN,

Chairman.

REPORT NO. 3.

1. Memorial of J. K. Jolliff and Frank Talbott, as follows:

Resolved, That the Virginia Conference hereby memorializes the General Conference to make the committee on Publishing Interests a quadrennial Board, to be known as the Board of Publications, and to authorize the Publishing Agents of the Church to adopt more efficient methods for the circulation of our papers.

We recommend concurrence.

[The recommendation of the committee was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

2. Memorial of J. K. Jolliff and Frank Talbott, as follows:

Resolved, That the Virginia Conference memorialize the General Conference to make the committee on Conference Relations a quadrennial Board.

We recommend concurrence.

[The recommendation of the committee was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

3. Memorial of F. R. Chenault, S. L. Dumville and W. G. Boggs, as follows:

Resolved, That the Virginia Annual Conference memorialize the General Conference to change paragraph 116, answer 4, section 3, chapter 3, of the Discipline, on the duties of the presiding elder, to read:

"To be present as far as practicable at the first and fourth Quarterly Conferences, and call together the members of the Quarterly Conference, over which he shall preside; or he may appoint a traveling elder to preside at the second and third Quarterly Conferences, and in the absence of the presiding elder and the traveling elder so appointed, the preacher in charge shall preside. It shall also be understood that the presiding elder shall take advantage of the opportunity thus accorded him, to direct his energies to the parts of his District which in his judgment stand most in need of his leadership; and furthermore, it shall be his duty to initiate and carry forward aggressive plans and movements for the development of the spiritual forces in his District."

The committee recommends concurrence.

[The recommendation of the committee was adopted.—EDITOR ANNUAL.]

ROBERT L. WINGFIELD,

FRANK TALBOTT,

Secretary.

Chairman pro tem.

PUBLISHING INTERESTS.

It is with general satisfaction that your committee has reviewed the exhibit presented by our Publishing House for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1917. More than a million, one hundred and forty thousand dollars in business was done, which is an increase over last year of \$111,573.60. The net profits of the year were \$144,509.82 and our present capital amounted to \$1,646,224.09. In this yearly growth the Richmond Branch has had the largest proportionate share. Recalling the increased cost of printing, this exhibit is all the more creditable.

Some of our publications, namely, the Methodist Quarterly Review, the Christian Advocate and the Epworth Era, have not paid expenses; while our own Conference organ, the Baltimore and Richmond Christian Advocate,

has been able to maintain itself with no little difficulty. This situation is due largely to the limited circulation which these papers now have, the large number of unpaid subscriptions which are carried, and the unusual cost of production. Remembering how necessary these periodicals are to the success of our work, we should give more earnest heed to their wider circulation and adequate maintenance.

We offer for your adoption the following resolutions:

1. That we commend to our preachers and laymen all our periodicals and publications, calling attention particularly to our Conference organ, and urge that greater diligence be given to their wider circulation.

2. That we express it as our opinion that our next General Conference should make the Annual Conference Committee on Publishing Interests a quadrennial body, to be known as the Board of Publications, and that some more definite measures should be adopted to circulate our Church papers.

3. That, in the event of the death, disability or resignation of the editor of the Conference Annual in the interim of the Conference, the Joint Board of Finance be hereby instructed to select an editor to prepare and publish the next edition of the ANNUAL at the earliest possible date thereafter.

4. That we recommend the appointment of Rev. James Cannon, Jr., as editor of the Baltimore and Richmond Christian Advocate, Rev. J. S. Hunter, as Field Agent of our Publishing House, and the re-election of Rev. J. T. Whitley as editor of the Conference ANNUAL with a compensation of \$100, and instruction to publish 3,000 copies of the ANNUAL.

P. M. HANK,

Secretary.

J. K. JOLLIFF,

Chairman.

TEMPERANCE AND OTHER SOCIAL REFORMS.

We submit our report in the form of a series of resolutions, as follows:

1. That we rejoice in the unparalleled progress which has been made in the work of social reform; in a "dry" Capital of our great Nation; in the barring of liquor advertising of every form from the United States mail, whether in great metropolitan dailies or in circular form, when such advertising is intended to circulate in "dry" territory; in the prohibition of interstate shipments of liquor for beverage purposes from "wet" into "dry" territory; in the prohibition of the sale of intoxicating liquors to the uniformed soldiers and sailors in the United States army and navy; in the law passed to protect the soldiers from impurity and vice; in the prohibition of the manufacture of foodstuffs into distilled spirits; in the appropriations which have been made by Congress to provide for the recreation and moral welfare of the soldiers through the Commission on Training Camp Activities; in the splendid work which is being done with the approval of the Government in the army and navy camps by the Young Men's Christian Association, for the physical, intellectual and moral welfare of the soldiers both in our own country and in the countries of Europe; in the passage by the Senate of the United States by a sweeping majority of the resolution providing for the submission of the

Constitutional Prohibition Amendment to the several States for ratification. Finally, we rejoice in the fact that since our last Conference the Mapp Prohibition Law has been thoroughly tested, and it is the hope and the belief of our people that the partnership of the State of Virginia with the legalized liquor traffic has been dissolved never to be renewed. To-day public officials, including the Governor of the Commonwealth, Judges of the Courts, police officials, leading bankers, manufacturers, merchants, farmers, pastors, fathers, mothers, wives and children unite in emphatic testimony that both the material and the moral welfare of the Commonwealth of Virginia has been promoted by the Mapp Prohibition Law, even beyond the predictions or expectations of its most ardent supporters. The number of convictions for penitentiary offenses has been reduced from 608 in the nine months from January 1, 1916, to October 1, 1916, to 307 in the nine months from January 1, 1917, to October 1, 1917. The number of persons in jail in October, 1916, was 3,134; in July, 1917, the number was 1,646. These figures indicate a reduction of fifty per cent. in the criminal cases in our courts, and the report of the State Auditor shows a great decrease in the amount of criminal expenses. Such results and such testimony have confounded the predictions of our enemies, and have paralyzed any open organized opposition to the repeal of our Prohibition Law. We hereby congratulate the Anti-Saloon League of Virginia upon the splendid results which have followed from the operation of the Mapp Law.

2. We heartily commend the public officials of the Commonwealth, who, under the able leadership of the Commissioner of Prohibition, Rev. J. Sidney Peters, have so faithfully administered the provisions of the Mapp Law. We hereby petition the next General Assembly of Virginia to correct any defects which may have become manifest in the administration of the Law, strengthening it in such particulars as may be necessary to secure the most efficient enforcement possible; and we furthermore urge that the appropriation by the State for the strict enforcement of the law be made adequate so that the "moonshiners" and the "blind tigers" may be banished from our State, and the lovers of liquor more than the lovers of law may be unable to secure intoxicants contrary to the law of the State; and we pledge our hearty co-operation with the Anti-Saloon League of Virginia in its advocacy of such amendments to the law.

3. That, while we pledge to the Government of the United States all possible co-operation in the carrying out of its policies and plans for the conservation of foodstuffs and other needed supplies and resources, we must express most emphatically our opinion that the welfare of our country requires the complete abolition of the use of foodstuffs in the manufacture of beer and wine, as well as in the matter of spirituous liquors; and we most respectfully, but earnestly, urge the President of the United States to exercise forthwith the authority conferred upon him by Congress to prevent the further waste of foodstuffs by breweries and wineries and other manufactories of intoxicants. We believe that such action on the part of the President would meet with the approval of the great majority of the citizens of our country, and would not only prevent the waste of needed food supplies, but would greatly increase the efficiency of our people in the growing of crops and in the manufacture of supplies necessary for the successful prosecution of the war.

4. That we rejoice at the patriotic response of our young men to the call of the country to fight the battles of freedom and righteousness. We believe that these choice young men should receive not only food and clothing and as many comforts as can be afforded them while they are performing their duty to their country and to the world, but that they should be protected and safe-guarded so far as possible from the temptations to dissipation and vice which are so common to the camp life. While we shall sorrow for all of our soldiers who go to the battle-field never to return; if they die honorably, fighting for righteousness on the field of battle, we shall feel that they have given their lives for a holy cause. But if they shall return to us having contracted the appetite for strong drink, or shamefully diseased, we shall be horribly humiliated by their downfall. We, therefore, most earnestly call upon the President and upon the War and Navy Departments of the United States, to impress upon our allies that, while the people of this country are willing to give freely of our money, and of our sons to the winning of this war, we cannot agree to lay the sobriety and the virtue of our manhood as an offering upon the continental altars of drunkenness and vice. We urge the adoption of such regulations for the Army and Navy outside of the United States as will give to our men equal protection to that which they have at our home in the cantonments and naval bases of our own country.

5. That copies of resolutions three and four be sent to the President of the United States, and that copies of resolution four be sent also to the Secretary of War and to the Secretary of the Navy, and that a copy of both resolutions be sent to the Legislative Committee of the Anti-Saloon League of America, with a request that said Committee put forth every possible effort to secure the results desired by this body as indicated in the said resolutions.

6. That the thanks of this body are hereby tendered to the Senators and Congressmen from Virginia, who have supported the splendid program of legislation which has been passed by Congress within the past twelve months; and we furthermore earnestly petition the members of the House of Representatives from Virginia to support the resolution for the submission of the Constitutional Prohibition Amendment.

7. That in the event of the passage by the National House of Representatives of the resolution to submit the National Prohibition Amendment to the several States, the Anti-Saloon League of Virginia is hereby requested to urge the General Assembly of Virginia to vote to ratify said Amendment at the earliest possible date, so that the example of Virginia may encourage and stimulate similar prompt action by other States, and thus secure within a few years the dissolution of the partnership of our great Nation with the legalized liquor traffic.

8. That we congratulate the National Anti-Saloon League upon the splendid work which it has done during the past twelve months, and we pledge to it our hearty support in the carrying out of its program for a "dry" America. In view of the meeting of the biennial Convention of the National Anti-Saloon League in the City of Washington, December 11-13, we request as many of our preachers and laymen as can possibly do so to attend, so that Virginia may be fully represented in that great gathering.

9. That we rejoice to learn that the debt of the Anti-Saloon League of

Virginia has been reduced from \$9,000 to \$2,500, and we pledge our co-operation with the officers of the League in the wiping out of the balance of the debt, and in the maintenance of a strong organization for the enforcement of our Prohibition laws, for the ratification of the Constitutional Amendment by the Legislature of Virginia, and for active co-operation with the National League in carrying on the National work.

10. We hereby request the Presiding Bishop to appoint James Cannon, Jr., Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Virginia; J. Sidney Peters, Commissioner of Prohibition of Virginia, and J. D. McAlister, Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Tennessee.

Respectfully submitted,

T. McN. SIMPSON,
W. A. CHRISTIAN,
R. H. BENNETT,
S. C. HATCHER,
EDWARD T. DADMUN,
W. H. VINCENT,
J. SIDNEY PETERS,
GEO. P. ADAMS,
JAMES CANNON, JR.,
Committee.

VIRGINIA CONFERENCE ORPHANAGE.

The following figures are taken from the Annual Report of the Board of Trustees made on May 4, 1917:

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Assets.

Real estate (cost \$30,000), minimum market value.....	\$135,000.00
Buildings.....	78,000.00
Equipment.....	14,000.00
Lot in Norfolk (estimated).....	300.00
Legacy of Mrs. Hartley.....	10,000.00
In hands of Treasurer, Endowment Fund.....	6,983.46
Grounds and Building Fund.....	1,026.43
Support Fund.....	373.68
Total.....	\$245,683.57

Liabilities—None.

Treasurer's books examined and found correct.

April 30, 1917.

JAMES P. JONES, *Auditor.*

Total receipts.....	\$24,988.19
Total disbursements.....	24,988.19

ITEMIZED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES.

Traveling.....	\$ 427.01
Farm.....	2,229.02
Food.....	5,057.93
General salaries.....	7,262.36
Clothing.....	765.04
Medicine.....	141.02
Repairs.....	233.77
The Guardian.....	1,544.02
Fuel.....	1,220.86
Miscellaneous.....	2,180.20
Improvements.....	17.80
Total expenditures.....	\$ 21,079.03

NUMBER OF CHILDREN HANDLED DURING THE YEAR.

	Boys	Girls	Total
In Orphanage April 1, 1916.....	53	68	121
Received during the year.....	21	26	47
	74	94	168
	Boys	Girls	Total
We have adopted out.....	2	2	4
Homed-out.....	2	2	4
Discharged by age limit.....	..	3	3
Returned to parents.....	5	9	14
Apprenticed.....	2	..	2
Sent to other institutions.....	1	..	1
Total number of children disposed of.....	12	16	28
Total number of children handled.....	74	94	168
In Orphanage April 1, 1917.....	62	78	140

SUPPORT.

General salaries.....	\$ 7,262.36
Farm, less profit.....	9.24
Food.....	5,057.93
Clothing.....	765.04
Medicine.....	141.02
Repairs.....	233.77
Fuel.....	1,220.86
Miscellaneous.....	2,180.20
Traveling expenses.....	427.01
Total.....	\$ 17,297.43

Cost <i>per capita</i> 168 children handled.....	\$ 102.96
Cost <i>per capita</i> 140 actual inmates.....	123.55
Cost per day.....	.3384 plus.

In presenting our Fifteenth Annual Report, we desire first to record our heartfelt gratitude to the God of the widow and the fatherless for the unfailing providential care and keeping with which He has constantly upheld our efforts to father and mother the destitute children committed to our charge.

We are now in position to care for 156 inmates, the largest number in our history, and by the time the price of building materials returns to anything like normal conditions, we expect to have in hand funds to add still further to our capacity.

Several of the children have made profession of faith and united with our Church.

Our well has been condemned and we are now using city water. The health of the children has been as good as usual up to the last six months, but we report with profoundest regret the death at the orphanage in June of a new boy who had been in the institution less than a month. This is our first experience of the kind since the institution has been in existence.

The Guardian, your orphanage organ, continues its good work. By order of the directors of The Guardian Publishing Company, the sum of \$898.92, profits on the popular little monthly for the past year, has been paid over to the treasury of the orphanage. We have sustained a great loss this year in the lamented death of Bro. W. E. Woody, our Guardian Editor, whose wise counsel and most efficient help have made our paper so large a success. We rejoice that we have obtained the voluntary services of Rev. Graham H. Lambeth, D. D., as acting Editor, who will assume charge of the paper with the January issue, and who has kindly offered to do this work for us on the same terms as Brother Woody, who never would consent to receive a penny for his efficient services.

The printing plant is justifying its existence. The books will show a fair profit for the year's work. Two of our boys have passed through this department and hold self-supporting positions in other printing establishments. Court Street Church, which donated the thousand dollars with which we inaugurated this work, has been good enough to include in her yearly budget for 1917 and 1918 the sum of five hundred dollars, as an annual special for this department.

In our school, which now reaches up to the 10th grade, we have four English teachers, one teacher of typewriting and stenography with 7 scholars, 12 girls are learning to play the piano, 3 boys are in the printing office, one boy looks after the heating plant, 7 attend to our laundry, 2 are regularly employed on the farm, 6 boys attend the Mechanics' Institute, and 4 girls are students at Blackstone College for Girls.

The Board of Trustees and the Virginia Conference Orphanage have suffered a grievous loss this year in the death of Rev. Lewis B. Betty, one of our most faithful ministers, and a charter member of our Board and of our Executive Committee. Always in his place as we assembled together, wise in his suggestions, carrying constantly on his heart and mind the best wel-

fare of our children, his genial, gentlemanly and brotherly fellowship will be sadly missed.

Your board desires to incorporate in its report the following:

The God whom we love and serve, in the exercise of His infinite wisdom and authority, has seen fit to transfer from the toils and responsibilities of this life to the joys and rewards of the home beyond our faithful and beloved brother Rev. Lewis B. Betty. As a member of our Board Brother Betty was prompt, faithful and conscientious in the discharge of every duty. In the solution of problems and the decision of important questions, such as we often found it necessary to consider with much care and deliberation, his wise counsel and timely advice were always valuable and helpful. He loved our orphanage and was ever ready to do most cheerfully and gladly whatever was thought best to promote its highest interests. We shall miss him. His kindly manner, his gentle, amiable spirit, and his words of hopefulness and encouragement, we shall no longer enjoy by his presence with us; but in memory these and like qualities possessed by our brother will linger long with us as a precious heritage. In view of the facts stated, we offer for adoption the following:

1. *Resolved*, That, while we recognize our loving Lord as the Author and Giver of life, and feel that He only has the right to take it away, and while we bow with humble submission to His will, yet we feel most keenly the death of our brother.

2. *Resolved*, That we tender the bereaved family our sincere sympathy and the assurance of our prayers, that the Lord of all grace may minister unto them comfort and consolation.

3. *Resolved*, That this preamble and resolutions be spread upon our minutes, and a copy transmitted to the family of our deceased brother.

We present to the Conference for confirmation, the name of Arthur B. Sharpe as Trustee in the place of Rev. L. B. Betty, deceased.

We respectfully request our presiding Bishop to appoint Rev. J. Wiley Bledsoe as Conference Orphanage Agent, and Arthur B. Sharpe as Orphanage Superintendent.

A. B. SHARPE,

Secretary.

JOHN P. PETTYJOHN,

First Vice-President.

THE BROTHERHOOD OF THE VIRGINIA CONFERENCE.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE SECRETARY-TREASURER.

ASSESSMENT 136—REV. R. B. BLANKINSHIP.

Received from 117 beneficiary members at \$3.00

each	\$ 351.00
50 non-beneficiary members at \$1.00 each..	50.00

\$401.00

NOTE.—The sum of \$474 received on this assessment prior to the meeting of the Brotherhood, November 20, 1916, was reported at that meeting and forms a part of the balance \$1,200.80 brought over this year, and is not chargeable again. Total collected on the assessment.....

		\$ 875.00
Paid Mrs. Lucy E. Blankinship.....	\$ 853.13	
Expense of collecting \$21.87, of which \$11.85 was charged out in the report of November 20, 1916, leaving as the amount paid this year.....	10.02	
		\$ 863.15

ASSESSMENT No. 137—REV. W. V. TUDOR.

Received from 255 beneficiary members at \$3.00 each.....	\$ 765.00	
135 non-beneficiary members at \$1.00 each..	135.00	
		\$ 900.00
Paid Mrs. Minnesota Tudor.....	\$ 877.50	
Expense of collecting.....	22.50	
		\$ 900.00

ASSESSMENT No. 138—REV. W. R. CROWDER.

Received from 254 beneficiary members at \$3.00 each.....	\$ 762.00	
137 non-beneficiary members at \$1.00 each..	137.00	
		\$ 899.00
Paid Mrs. Ann C. Clopton.....	\$ 876.53	
Expense of collecting.....	22.47	
		\$ 899.00

ASSESSMENT No. 139—REV. S. R. DREWRY.

Received from 252 beneficiary members at \$3.00 each.....	\$ 756.00	
128 non-beneficiary members at \$1.00 each..	128.00	
		\$ 884.00
Paid Mrs. Julia H. Drewry.....	\$ 861.90	
Expense of collecting.....	22.10	
		\$ 884.00

ASSESSMENT No. 140—REV. L. B. BETTY.

Received from 251 beneficiary members at \$3.00 each.....	\$ 753.00	
111 non-beneficiary members at \$1.00 each.....	111.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 864.00
Paid George M. Betty, Administrator.....	\$ 842.40	
Expense of collecting.....	21.60	
	<hr/>	\$ 864.00

GENERAL SUMMARY.

Receipts.

Balance from last year.....	\$1,200.80	
Initiation fees 1916.....	9.00	
Payment of back assessments.....	11.00	
Dividends and interest.....	694.58	
Assessments paid in advance.....	4.00	
Collected on current assessments.....	3,948.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,867.38

Disbursements.

Paid beneficiaries on current assessments.....	\$4,311.46	
Expense of collecting same.....	98.69	
Assessments 137-140 from funds paid in advance.....	13.00	
Riverside and Dan River Cotton Mills Co. for three shares of common stock.....	450.38	
Traveling expenses of Secretary-Treasurer on trip to consult Trustees with reference to purchase of said stock.....	5.95	
First National Bank, Crewe, Va., for box rent	2.50	
Balance in Merchants National Bank \$981.40; in Treasurer's hands \$4.00.....	985.40	
	<hr/>	\$5,867.38

November 19, 1917.

S. J. BATTIN,
Secretary-Treasurer.

PREACHERS' RELIEF SOCIETY.

NORFOLK, VA., November 10, 1917.

To the President and Directors of the Society for the Relief of the Preachers of the Virginia Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and their Families, their Widows and Orphans.

BRETHREN:

I respectfully submit the following statement of receipts and disbursements for the fiscal year beginning November 13, 1916, and ending November 10, 1917:

Receipts.

1916.		
Nov.	13	Balance on hand..... \$ 4,743.30
1917		
Jan.	3	On account of E. S. Whitehurst loan. 50.00
	12	A. W. Brock loan paid off..... 500.00
	17	Equitable Realty Corporation loan paid off..... 889.16
Feb.	2	On account of J. S. Hunter loan..... 200.00
Mar.	31	J. B. and E. L. Weisiger loan paid off.. 1,250.00
May	1	C. E. Scott loan paid off..... 1,100.00
	8	On account of M. D. Breslauer loan... 100.00
July	31	On account of J. S. Hunter loan..... 200.00
Aug.	14	J. G. Lohman loan paid off..... 1,000.00
Sept.	11	Barton Myers loan paid off..... 2,000.00
Oct.	20	Pittsylvania Corporation loan paid off 10,000.00
Nov.	5	On account of H. J. Lambert loan..... 1,000.00
	10	Interest on loans to date..... 3,516.35
		<hr/> \$26,548.81

Disbursements.

1916.		
Nov.	20	Appropriations..... \$ 2,620.00
Dec.	19	Loan to E. C. and G. H. Greene..... 1,200.00
1917.		
Jan.	5	Expenses of meeting of Trustees and Co-operative Board in Richmond... 72.90
	17	Loan to Equitable Realty Corporation 1,600.00
Feb.	6	Rent of safe deposit box for year to December 1, 1917..... 6.00
June	27	Loan to S. L. Creekmore..... 600.00
	28	Albemarle Drainage District Bonds... 2,000.00
July	2	Loan to A. W. Brock..... 2,000.00
Oct.	1	Loan to A. L. Eggleston..... 850.00
Nov.	8	S. W. Harris loan..... 10,000.00
		Accrued interest on Harris loan..... 75.00
		Albemarle Drainage District Bonds. 2,000.00
		Accrued interest on Drainage Bonds.. 48.00

Secretary and Treasurer.....	150.00	
	<hr/>	\$23,221.90
Balance on hand.....		\$ 3,326.91

Assets.

Cash on hand as above.....	\$ 3,326.91	
Loans and investments.....	61,600.00	
	<hr/>	\$64,926.91
Assets 1917.....	\$64,926.91	
Assets 1916.....	64,382.46	
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Increase.....	\$ 544.45	

CONDITIONAL TRUST FUND.

Receipts.

1917.			
Apr. 11	Snyder note paid.....	\$ 400.00	
Oct. 20	Snyder note paid.....	400.00	
Nov. 10	Dividends and interest to date.....	193.02	
		<hr/>	\$ 993.02

Disbursements.

1917.			
June 28	Albemarle Drainage District Bond...	500.00	
Oct. 8	Apartment Realty Corporation's notes	400.00	900.00
		<hr/>	
	Balance cash on hand.....		\$ 93.02

Assets.

Cash as above.....	\$ 93.02	
Securities.....	3,100.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,193.02

CONFERENCE ENDOWMENT FUND.

1917.			
Feb. 1	From Rev. Richard Ferguson, special.	\$ 100.00	
	9 From a Friend, through Jas. T. Catlin.	100.00	
Mar. 7	From Rev. C. C. Wertenbaker.....	12.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 212.00

W. W. VICAR,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Examined and found correct:

E. V. WHITE,
S. Q. COLLINS,
J. W. GRANDY,
Auditing Committee.

APPROPRIATIONS, 1917.

Rev. C. H. Boggs.....	\$75.00	Mrs. J. D. Forkner.....	\$75.00
P. M. Bell.....	50.00	L. W. Guyer.....	100.00
C. W. Cain.....	25.00	C. H. Galloway....	50.00
J. R. Gill.....	25.00	J. W. Hilldrup.....	25.00
C. H. Green.....	50.00	E. M. Jordan.....	50.00
John Hannon.....	100.00	R. G. James.....	50.00
J. W. Heckman....	50.00	J. H. Kabler.....	75.00
A. C. Jordan.....	100.00	J. G. Lennon.....	50.00
W. A. Laughon....	25.00	W. A. Robinson...	25.00
J. E. McSparran...	50.00	N. H. Robertson...	75.00
N. J. Pruden.....	50.00	J. W. Tucker.....	50.00
McDaniel Rucker..	100.00	T. J. Taylor.....	75.00
L. C. Shearer.....	100.00	J. F. Twitty	25.00
C. W. Turner.....	50.00	D. M. Wallace.....	25.00
J. S. Wallace.....	25.00	E. P. Wilson.....	50.00
C. C. Wertenbaker.	100.00	M. L. Williams.....	50.00
J. T. Whitley.....	50.00	Miss Edith Boggs.....	50.00
Mrs. H. T. Bacon.....	35.00	Nannie Carter.....	25.00
R. B. Blankenship.	75.00	Ida Edwards.....	25.00
R. F. Beadles.....	50.00	Ella Gibson.....	25.00
R. E. Bentley.....	50.00	Mattie Littleton...	60.00
R. A. Compton....	50.00	Virginia Lee Patteson	50.00
J. A. Duncan.....	35.00	Mary Rosser.....	50.00
J. B. DeBerry.....	50.00	Mollie Scott.....	40.00
Bascom Dey.....	100.00	Jennie Sledd.....	50.00
W. E. Edwards, Sr.	75.00	Annie Wilson.....	35.00
M. S. Elliott.....	50.00		
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			\$2,855.30

REPORT OF PREACHERS' RELIEF SOCIETY ON CONFERENCE
ENDOWMENT FUND.

On the 5th day of January last six members of the Board of Directors of the Preachers' Relief Society and seven members of the Co-operative Board met in the city of Richmond, to consider the matter of the raising of the \$500,000 Endowment Fund committed to these Boards at the last Conference. After full discussion and interchange of views, E. G. Moseley was appointed Publicity Agent, and W. W. Vicar, J. T. Catlin, J. P. Pettyjohn, J. H. Gray and Rev. J. C. Reed, the Executive Committee called for in the tentative plan. This committee was authorized to engage the services of a Field Secretary or Agent when a suitable man can be found for the work.

The Executive Committee, thus named, has reported to the Board, that during the year it had, in conference and by correspondence, sought the type of man needed for this great task, but as yet they have not been able to enlist him in our service.

In the meantime the war is here with its ever-increasing demand for large expenditures of money, as well as men; and if we were ready to start the cam-

paigned tomorrow we should not do so, believing as we do that these emergent, preeminent claims should have the right of way in these times of stress and strain. In this conclusion we have the hearty concurrence of all the members of the Co-operative Board whom we have been able to consult on the subject.

If the Conference approve this course, we shall be glad to go on in the perfecting of the plans for the raising of this great fund; but if the Conference is of the opinion that the movement should be launched at once, we shall bow to its judgment and leave the matter for such action as the body may deem it wise to take.

JOHN B. WINFREE,
President.

W. W. VICAR,
Secretary.

VIRGINIA BEACH METHODIST ASSEMBLY.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE GENERAL SECRETARY.

COST OF SESSION OF 1917.

Assembly Directors to Expense Account.....	\$1,419.54
Sunday School Board to Expense Account.....	183.25
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	\$1,602.79

Assets.

Brought over from 1916.....	\$ 1.69
Cash at the door.....	108.00
Tickets sold to churches and schools.....	415.50
Assembly S. S. primary class.....	1.60
Cash from advertising space.....	76.00
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Total from summer session.....	602.79
Donations from churches and individuals.....	725.75
Unpaid subscriptions.....	104.00
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	\$1,432.54

Expenditures.

Paid by the Sunday School Board.	\$ 183.25	
Paid by Assembly Directors.....	1,169.54	\$1,352.79
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Balance.....		\$250.00
Secured by cash.....	\$ 159.00	
Subscriptions.....	104.00	
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	\$ 263.00	

November 20, 1917.

D. G. C. BUTTS,
General Secretary.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

Your Committee on District Conference Records beg leave to report as follows:

We have examined the records of the Charlottesville, Eastern Shore, Danville, Farmville, Lynchburg, Norfolk, Petersburg, Portsmouth and Newport News, Rappahannock, and Richmond Districts, and have found them correctly and neatly kept, with the exception of the omission of the Official Roll of the Charlottesville District.

H. L. WESTON,

Secretary.

C. T. THRIFT,

Chairman.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON ENTERTAINMENT.

Your committee offer the following report:

1. We have selected Charlottesville as the seat of the next annual session.
2. Increased expenditure makes it necessary to ask for an additional amount for Annual Conference expenses, making the assessment for next year \$2,500. We respectfully ask the Conference to approve this increase.

E. T. DADMUN,

Chairman.

WAR WORK RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, The Young Men's Christian Association is rendering indispensable service to the army and navy of the United States and to the fighting forces of the allies of this country, therefore be it resolved—

1. That the Virginia Annual Conference hereby endorses the work of the Y. M. C. A. for the general welfare of soldiers and sailors at home and abroad.
2. That the Conference pledges active participation in the plans of the War Council to raise the full amount of \$450,000, allotted to the State of Virginia, to maintain the work of the Y. M. C. A. in this country and in foreign fields.
3. That the Conference rejoices in the fact that a number of our men have entered this important and useful service, and we assure these men of our sympathetic co-operation in the arduous work they are doing.

WILLIAM E. THOMPSON,

JOHN VICTOR,

JAMES T. CATLIN,

J. T. MASTIN.

CHANGES IN BOUNDARIES.

LYNCHBURG DISTRICT.

Take Perrow's Chapel from Gladys Circuit, and put it on West Campbell Circuit. Take Providence from Campbell Circuit, and put it with Fair View and South View to form the Lynchburg Circuit. Take Mount Zion from Campbell Circuit, and put it on the Gladys Circuit.

NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Take Campostella from Mount Vernon Circuit, and put it with Oaklette, to be called Oaklette and Campostella.

RICHMOND DISTRICT.

Take Fulton Hill from Denny Street, and make it a station.

RESOLUTIONS OF THANKS.

The Virginia Conference desires to express its heartfelt thanks—

1. To the pastor and members of Court Street Church, and the citizens of this goodly city, who in an emergency came so nobly to the aid of the body, and have given us such delightful entertainment.
2. To the sister Churches of the city, who so courteously tendered to us their pulpits.
3. To the local press, for its unusually accurate and readable reports of proceedings.
4. To our admirable corps of secretaries, for their excellent work.
5. To our faithful and unusually competent treasurer, for his capable management of the business of his office.
6. To the Conference Post-office manager and staff, for the facilities afforded us.

W. W. ROYALL,
JOHN O. MOSS.

JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

The Board has carefully considered the resolution from the Richmond District Conference, and the request of the Board of Trustees of the Orphanage, asking that an assessment equal to ten per cent. of the preacher's salary be assessed to each charge for the support of the Orphanage.

We recommend that an assessment of \$27,000 be placed upon the charges of the Conference.

We submit a list of appropriations to beneficiaries of the Conference Fund, to be included as usual in the Report of the Treasurer.

W. ASBURY CHRISTIAN,
Secretary.

B. M. BECKHAM,
Chairman.

TREASURER'S REPORT.**FOREIGN MISSIONS.***Receipts.*

From pastoral charges on assessment.....	\$23,786.04
From Sunday Schools, on assessment.....	2,503.93
From pastoral charges, specials reported at Conference:	

Charlottesville District:

CHURCHES.

Batesville, for Korea.....	\$ 318.00	
Culpeper—Week of Prayer.....	39.00	
Culpeper.....	24.00	
East Albemarle.....	1.90	
Mt. Pleasant—Week of Prayer.....	32.05	
South Amherst.....	40.00	
		\$ 454.95

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Albemarle—China.....	\$ 100.00	
Amherst—Korea.....	100.00	
Batesville—Korea.....	11.25	
Brightwood.....	20.00	
First Church, Charlottesville—Chi Hei Kel School.....	25.00	
First Church—Dr. Hardy, Korea.....	376.21	
Culpeper.....	87.00	
Culpeper Circuit—Korea.....	20.00	
Gordonsville.....	109.00	
Greene—Mexican Border Work.....	5.00	
Greene—Korea.....	25.00	
Mt. Pleasant—Korea.....	75.00	
Rapidan.....	2.50	
Rappahannock.....	100.00	
Scottsville.....	100.00	
Scottsville—Mexican Border.....	8.00	
		\$ 1,163.96
Culpeper Epworth League.....		\$ 8.00

Danville District:

CHURCHES.

Chatham.....	\$ 50.00
Main Street, Danville—Osaka..	1,000.00
Main Street, Danville—Africa.....	1,000.00

Mt. Vernon—Tokyo.....	500.00	
Mt. Vernon—Kwansei Gakuin.....	65.00	
Mt. Vernon—General Work.....	162.00	
Ferrum.....	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,797.00

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Chatham.....	\$ 50.00	
Main Street.....	75.00	
Franklin.....	5.00	
Martinsville.....	50.00	
Rocky Mount—Mexico.....	7.05	
Rocky Mount—China.....	70.00	
Rocky Mount—Native Worker.....	125.00	
Halifax.....	27.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 409.05

Eastern Shore District:

CHURCHES.

Atlantic.....	\$ 225.00	
Broadwater.....	110.00	
Broadwater Mission.....	25.00	
Cambridge.....	100.00	
Capeville—W. L. Tucker, Japan.....	1,000.00	
Franktown and Johnson's—V. R. Turner, Korea.....	1,000.00	
Keller.....	205.00	
Onancock—W. G. Cram, Korea.....	128.00	
Onley, Locustville and Melfa.....	45.15	
Pungoteague.....	10.00	
Salisbury—Prof. C. A. Long, Brazil.....	1,117.00	
Wachapreague.....	75.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,040.15

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Accomac.....	\$ 25.00	
Andrew Chapel.....	200.00	
Andrew Chapel—Mexico.....	20.00	
Broadwater.....	90.08	
Cambridge.....	23.00	
Cape Charles.....	180.00	
Cheriton.....	100.00	
Craddocksville.....	122.97	
Franktown and Johnson.....	75.00	
Keller.....	68.00	
Onancock.....	324.00	

Onley, Locustville and Melfa.....	200.00	
Pocomoke.....	5.00	
Pungoteague.....	50.00	
Wachapreague—Japan.....	64.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,547.05
Onancock Epworth League.....	15.00	
Salisbury Epworth League—Africa.....	25.00	
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Farmville District:

CHURCHES.

Blackstone.....	\$ 300.00	
Blackstone, L. P. Anderson.....	1,000.00	
Boydton.....	100.00	
Chase City.....	500.00	
Clarksville.....	100.00	
Crewe.....	102.00	
Farmville—Korea.....	792.00	
Lunenburg.....	77.00	
North Mecklenberg.....	150.00	
Prince Edward.....	61.00	
Prospect.....	291.65	
W. Buckingham, Bequest for Foreign Missions..	106.44	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,580.09

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Amelia.....	\$ 68.00	
Blackstone.....	56.57	
Blackstone—Mexican Work.....	31.85	
Boydton—Korea.....	50.00	
Buckingham.....	20.00	
Burkeville.....	19.00	
Cartersville.....	22.00	
Chase City.....	42.42	
Clarksville.....	16.00	
Crewe.....	55.00	
E. Nottoway—China.....	60.00	
Farmville—Korea.....	200.00	
Kenbridge—New Missionaries.....	25.00	
Lunenburg.....	18.00	
North Mecklenburg.....	180.00	
Prospect.....	47.70	
South Charlotte.....	40.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 951.54
Amelia Epworth League.....	2.00	
Chase City Epworth League.....	10.00	
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Lynchburg District:

CHURCHES.

Court Street.....	\$1,800.00	
Court Street—Kobe, Japan.....	6,666.67	
Memorial—Kobe, Japan.....	3,867.00	
Montvale.....	66.51	
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		\$12,400.18

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Appomattox.....	\$ 78.00	
Bedford City.....	193.00	
Bedford Circuit.....	60.00	
Bedford Springs.....	25.00	
Gladys.....	30.73	
Centenary.....	170.00	
Court Street.....	313.90	
Memorial.....	200.00	
Rivermont.....	265.00	
Trinity.....	50.00	
Madison Heights.....	63.05	
Montvale.....	29.63	
North Pittsylvania.....	6.00	
Pamplin.....	55.00	
West Campbell—Korea.....	16.00	
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		\$1,555.31
Halifax Epworth League—Africa.....	6.00	
Montvale Epworth League.....	10.00	
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		\$ 16.00

Norfolk District:

CHURCHES.

East York—Korea.....	\$ 37.00	
Hampton Roads—Week of Prayer.....	5.00	
Hampton Roads—Relief Fund.....	15.00	
Larchmont—Cuba.....	500.00	
Colonial Avenue.....	13.00	
Epworth—Wonsan Church.....	1,000.00	
Ghent—Korea.....	50.00	
Le Kies Memorial.....	6.75	
Le Kies Memorial—Week of Prayer.....	18.15	
Oaklette—China.....	32.26	
South Norfolk.....	75.00	
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		\$1,752.16

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

East York.....	\$100.00	
First Church, Hampton—Korea.....	90.00	
Hampton Roads—Mexican Day.....	25.00	
Hampton Roads—New Missionaries.....	50.00	
Larchmont—Korea.....	100.00	
Larchmont—Mexico.....	100.00	
Larchmont—H. D. Bardwell, Cuba.....	236.00	
Colonial Avenue.....	240.00	
Epworth Woman's Hospital.....	200.00	
Epworth Relief Fund.....	100.00	
Ghent.....	189.19	
Le Kies Memorial—Mexican Day.....	16.28	
Memorial—Mexico.....	50.00	
South Norfolk.....	14.00	
South Norfolk—Songdo.....	25.00	
York.....	20.00	
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		\$1,555.47

Petersburg District:

CHURCHES.

East Dinwiddie.....	\$ 50.00	
Lawrenceville.....	100.00	
Market Street—Japan.....	280.50	
South Hill.....	50.00	
Sussex.....	500.00	
Wakefield—Korea.....	500.00	
West Chesterfield.....	12.50	
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		\$1,493.00

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Brunswick—China.....	\$ 30.00	
Chester and Ivey Memorial.....	72.00	
Chesterfield.....	14.00	
East Dinwiddie.....	100.00	
Dinwiddie.....	20.00	
Emporia.....	150.00	
Hopewell.....	40.00	
Lawrenceville.....	114.00	
Matoaca—China.....	3.00	
High Street.....	257.00	
Washington Street.....	303.50	
Prince George.....	30.00	
South Brunswick—China.....	50.00	
South Dinwiddie—China.....	100.00	
South Hill—China.....	50.00	

Surry.....	20.00	
Wakefield.....	200.00	
West Brunswick—Mexico.....	28.65	
West Chesterfield.....	12.50	
West Dinwiddie—China.....	100.00	
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Portsmouth and Newport News District:

CHURCHES.

Capron.....	\$1,000.00	
Monumental—Japan.....	1,000.00	
Main Street, Suffolk.....	100.00	
Whaleyville and Somerton.....	38.58	
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SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Benn's—Korean Preacher.....	\$140.00	
Boykin's.....	50.00	
Crittenden.....	2.00	
Franklin.....	125.00	
Isle of Wight.....	57.50	
Newsom's.....	200.00	
Chestnut Avenue.....	92.00	
Grace.....	125.00	
Broad Street.....	100.00	
Main Street, Suffolk.....	141.09	
	<hr/>	\$1,032.59

Rappahannock District:

CHURCHES.

Bethany—Special Fund.....	\$ 300.00	
East Middlesex—Special Fund.....	25.00	
Heathsville—Week of Prayer.....	36.00	
Toano.....	7.00	
West Lancaster Easter Offering.....	37.38	
Westmoreland—Korea.....	50.00	
Whitestone Easter Offering.....	229.33	
	<hr/>	\$ 684.71

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Bethany.....	\$ 26.00	
East Mathews.....	19.10	
Gloucester—Korea.....	128.00	
Gloucester Point—Korea.....	100.00	

Heathsville.....	75.00	
Irvington and Kilmarnock.....	50.00	
King George.....	12.00	
Lancaster.....	8.00	
Mathews—Korea.....	200.00	
Middlesex.....	29.58	
Montross.....	58.00	
Shackelford's.....	21.00	
Toano—Korea.....	150.00	
West Mathews—Korea.....	77.50	
Westmoreland	150.00	
West Point.....	27.00	
		\$1,131.18
Mathews Epworth League—Africa.....		\$ 21.00

Richmond District:

CHURCHES.

Ashland—Korea.....	\$ 100.00	
Ashland—China.....	150.00	
Bowling Green.....	100.00	
Caroline—Church Extension Special.....	2.00	
Broad Street.....	53.00	
Centenary.....	1,838.00	
Centenary—Emergency Fund.....	50.00	
Central.....	500.00	
Clay Street.....	600.00	
Decatur Street—China.....	5.00	
Grace—Week of Prayer.....	61.55	
Monument—Missionaries' Salaries.....	208.75	
St. James—Emergency Fund.....	50.00	
Woodland Heights.....	25.00	
		\$3,743.30

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Caroline.....	\$ 4.00	
Caroline.....	100.00	
Charles City.....	9.00	
Goochland—Japan.....	25.00	
Hanover—P. L. Hill, Korea.....	200.00	
King William.....	8.00	
Barton Heights—Huchow Hospital and Native Worker.....	364.96	
Branch Memorial.....	33.46	
Centenary.....	616.10	
Centenary.....	214.68	
Central.....	265.00	
Decatur Street—China.....	100.00	

Denny Street and Fulton Hill—China.....	121.57
Grace.....	50.00
Highland Park.....	200.00
Highland Park—Emergency Fund.....	10.00
Monument—Huchow Hospital.....	600.00
Trinity and Mission—China.....	10.00
Trinity and Mission.....	37.66
Woodland Heights.....	64.65
Spottsylvania—China.....	12.12

\$3,046.20

EPWORTH LEAGUES.

Asbury and Oakland—Africa.....	\$ 20.00
Central.....	29.55
Clay Street.....	60.00
Denny Street and Fulton Hill—Africa.....	35.00
Monument—Africa.....	50.00
Park Place and Orphanage.....	15.00
St. Paul's—Africa.....	10.00
Trinity and Mission.....	30.00
West End.....	16.00
Spottsylvania—Africa.....	7.00

\$ 272.55

Remittances through Treasurer, not reported by charges:

Keller.....	\$ 172.68
Albemarle.....	3.75
Bedford Circuit.....	5.00
Middle Bedford.....	2.75
Park Place, Richmond.....	12.50
Clay Street, Richmond.....	5.00

\$ 201.68

Remittances direct to J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer, and not reported by charges:

Madison Sunday School—China.....	\$ 25.00
King William Circuit.....	5.00
Milan Sunday School—China.....	11.00
C. E. Brauer, Jr.—China.....	60.00
Crewe Sunday School—China.....	27.00
Hermon Sunday School—Korea.....	6.18
Whitmell Epworth League—Africa.....	5.00
Mrs. W. C. Ivey—Korea.....	100.00
Mrs. W. C. Ivey—China.....	125.00
Mrs. W. C. Ivey—Japan.....	135.00
Lexington Sunday School—China.....	2.00
Asbury Sunday School—China.....	3.17

Newport News Epworth League—Africa.....	10.00	
Mathews Circuit Sunday School—Korea.....	25.00	
Newport News Epworth League—Africa.....	25.85	
J. O. Barksdale—China.....	25.00	
Montvale.....	13.77	
Barboursville—Korea.....	100.00	
Charlottesville Sunday School—Korea.....	15.00	
Frank Barnes—China.....	25.00	
Spottsylvania Epworth League—Africa.....	5.81	
J. O. Barksdale—China.....	25.00	
Tabernacle Sunday School—Korea.....	16.88	
W. C. Ivey—Songdo Hospital.....	2,000.00	
Ruth Church—Missionary Relief.....	2.00	
J. H. Graves—Seoul Korea.....	2,500.00	
T. L. Bain—Water Gate Church, Korea.....	500.00	
Epworth Leagues for Africa.....	756.61	
Sunday Contributions, Million Dollar Fund....	40.50	
Sunday Contributions, Week of Prayer.....	486.51	
Sunday Contributions, Missionary Relief.....	2,257.62	
Sunday Contributions, Mexican Work.....	585.03	
Mrs. J. E. White—Japan.....	12.50	
Rosebud Missionary Society.....	2,800.00	\$12,732.43
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		\$86,764.75

Disbursements.

Remittances direct to J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer..	\$12,732.43	
Remittances by charges to J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer.....	16,141.46	
Remittances by John Victor, Treasurer, to J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer.....	4,839.02	
Remittances to R. M. Markland, Treasurer, Epworth League.....	306.55	
Remittances to G. M. Fowles, Treasurer, M. E. Church, New York.....	200.00	
Salary, Dr. T. N. Potts, Missionary Secretary....	2,000.00	
Expenses, Dr. T. N. Potts, Missionary Secretary..	257.00	
Remitted J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer.....	50,288.29	
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		\$86,764.75

JOHN VICTOR, *Treasurer.*

November, 1917.

HOME AND CONFERENCE MISSIONS.

Receipts.

Balance Reserve Fund last year.....	\$11,614.34	
From Charges at Conference:		
For Home Missions (assessment \$9,184.00).....		\$ 7,968.74
For Conference Missions (assessment \$2,800.00)..		24,294.94
From Dr. W. B. Beauchamp, Special.....		50.00
From Dr. W. B. Beauchamp, Evangelistic Services		1,613.18
From Interest in Bank.....		134.40
From Specials as follows:		
<i>Danville District:</i>		
Main Street.....	\$1,350.00	
Mount Vernon.....	300.00	
		\$ 1,650.00
<i>Eastern Shore:</i>		
Wachapreague.....		34.50
<i>Norfolk District:</i>		
First Church, Hampton.....		118.00
<i>Petersburg District:</i>		
Market Street.....		151.62
<i>Portsmouth and Newport News District:</i>		
Main Street, Suffolk.....		33.47
<i>Rappahannock District:</i>		
King George.....		8.00
<i>Richmond District:</i>		
Branch Memorial.....	6.23	
Centenary.....	438.91	
Central.....	136.20	
Grace.....	5.00	
Highland Park.....	179.00	
St. James.....	50.00	
Trinity and Mission.....	212.50	
West End.....	20.16	\$ 1,048.00
		<u>\$48,719.19</u>

Disbursements.

Paid appropriations as follows:

<i>Charlottesville District:</i>	
Rev. G. E. Smith and S. W. Day, Crozet.....	\$ 50.00
W. H. Grubbs, Culpeper Circuit.....	50.00
J. B. Pettus, East Albemarle.....	250.00
Frank Burruss, Gordonsville.....	150.00
R. L. Wingfield, Hinton Avenue.....	300.00
T. W. Cave, Madison Mission.....	100.00

O. L. Haga, Mt. Pleasant.....	75.00	
C. L. Salmon, South Amherst.....	50.00	
G. H. I. Mayo, West Amherst.....	250.00	
W. H. Keyser, West Goochland.....	200.00	
H. V. Shenton, West Hanover.....	100.00	
E. W. Somerville, Brightwood.....	100.00	
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		\$ 1,675.00

Danville District:

Rev. J. R. Bradshaw, West Franklin.....	\$ 250.00	
A. W. Linthicum, Cascade.....	150.00	
J. M. Moser, Danville Circuit.....	125.00	
Roy Moore, East Franklin.....	125.00	
J. W. Bouldin, Ferrum.....	250.00	
E. G. Kilgore, Franklin.....	200.00	
L. W. Hendrickson, Grace.....	100.00	
C. C. Jones, Henry.....	250.00	
E. W. Elliott, Hyco.....	100.00	
W. J. Craddock, North Patrick.....	450.00	
S. H. Pulliam, Patrick.....	200.00	
J. W. Marshall, Schoolfield.....	300.00	
C. T. Harrell, Sledd Memorial.....	100.00	
E. M. Higginbotham, South Franklin....	100.00	
A. P. Williams, Stuart.....	100.00	
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		\$ 2,800.00

NOTE.—Appropriation for Franklin was \$300.00, of which \$100.00 was paid by Main Street Church, Danville.

Eastern Shore District:

Rev. H. L. Hastings, Broadwater Mission.....	\$ 200.00	
W. A. Wright, Cape Charles.....	100.00	
A. L. Stevenson, Dorchester.....	125.00	
W. H. Hantzmon, South Dorchester.....	250.00	
W. S. Brown, St. Martin's.....	150.00	
W. J. Twilley, South Salisbury.....	250.00	
R. L. Busby, Wachapreague.....	100.00	
J. T. Sewell, Cheriton.....	100.00	
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		\$ 1,275.00

Farmville District:

Rev. W. A. S. Conrad, Burkeville.....	\$ 150.00	
C. F. Comer, East Nottoway.....	100.00	
J. S. Maxey, Cartersville.....	50.00	
S. W. Wilkinson, Charlotte.....	100.00	
W. Y. Scales, Clarksville.....	250.00	
E. W. Davis, Nottoway.....	200.00	
B. B. Bland, Powhatan.....	75.00	
W. G. Bates, Jr., Prince Edward.....	75.00	

O. L. Martin, South Charlotte.....	100.00	
C. V. Steininger, Victoria.....	300.00	
R. L. Fruit, West Buckingham.....	250.00	
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		\$ 1,650.00

Lynchburg District:

Rev. H. A. Glauss, Alta Vista.....	\$ 250.00	
L. F. Callaham, Appomattox.....	300.00	
Porter Hardy, Bedford Circuit.....	250.00	
Z. V. Johnston, Elba.....	100.00	
J. W. Eure, Madison Heights.....	200.00	
P. H. Clements, Middle Bedford.....	150.00	
W. A. McAllister, North Bedford.....	100.00	
W. L. Mays, North Pittsylvania.....	100.00	
R. V. Harlow and J. W. Fizer, South Bedford.....	150.00	
P. F. Arthur, South View and Fairview....	150.00	
J. L. Finch, Trinity.....	200.00	
John Hannon, West End.....	300.00	
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		\$ 2,250.00

Norfolk District:

Rev. E. L. Peerman, Hampton Roads.....	\$ 100.00	
W. L. King, Lynnhaven.....	200.00	
E. R. Crawley, Mt. Vernon.....	250.00	
W. F. Hayes, North Princess Anne.....	100.00	
J. S. Wallace, Oaklette.....	350.00	
L. A. Smith, Ocean View.....	100.00	
T. G. Pullen, York.....	150.00	
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		\$ 1,250.00

Petersburg District:

Rev. H. N. Smith, Blandford.....	\$ 100.00	
H. V. Clarke, Brunswick.....	150.00	
G. M. Bishop, Chesterfield.....	100.00	
J. S. Gresham, City Point.....	400.00	
W. W. Sawyer, Dinwiddie.....	100.00	
H. W. Neville, Ettrick.....	100.00	
Richard Ferguson, Greenesville.....	200.00	
C. A. Tucker, Hopewell.....	300.00	
J. U. Edwards, Matoaca.....	50.00	
E. V. Carson, Memorial.....	200.00	
J. E. DeShazo, South Brunswick.....	100.00	
E. B. Loving, South Dinwiddie.....	100.00	
Jno. O. Moss, Waverly.....	150.00	
W. L. Tucker, West Chesterfield.....	100.00	
W. J. Watt, South Chesterfield.....	100.00	
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		\$ 2,250.00

Portsmouth and Newport News District:

Rev. G. R. Rood, Crittenden.....	\$ 200.00
R. B. Scott, Elm Avenue.....	200.00
G. F. Greene, Oxford.....	250.00
J. R. Laughton, Williamsburg.....	300.00
A. N. Lewis, Windsor.....	50.00
A. A. Whitmore, Whaleyville.....	200.00
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	\$ 1,200.00

Rappahannock District:

Rev. B. D. Stephens, Colonial Beach.....	\$ 200.00
C. H. McNeil, Gloucester Point.....	250.00
W. P. Province, King George.....	100.00
J. J. Gregory, King and Queen.....	175.00
R. V. Owen, Middlesex.....	75.00
J. W. Heckman, New Kent.....	200.00
A. C. Jordan, Richmond Circuit.....	75.00
J. K. Walker, Toano.....	75.00
H. P. Balderson, Urbanna.....	200.00
T. G. Laughon, West Lancaster.....	200.00
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	\$ 1,550.00

Richmond District:

Rev. C. H. Smith, Asbury.....	\$ 100.00
N. C. Rice, Ashland Circuit.....	100.00
W. O. Gordon, Branch Memorial.....	150.00
F. W. England, Caroline.....	50.00
M. F. Draper, Charles City.....	25.00
J. W. Dixon, City Mission.....	500.00
C. E. Johnson, Epworth.....	250.00
L. T. Hitt, Fairmount Mission.....	50.00
W. K. Cunningham, Fulton Hill.....	100.00
C. W. Moss, Goochland.....	50.00
J. B. Peters, Grace.....	300.00
L. C. Smart, Henrico Circuit.....	100.00
H. D. Mollart, Highland Springs.....	250.00
J. J. Clarke, King William.....	100.00
F. R. Holland, Spottsylvania.....	175.00
V. L. Marsh, St. Paul's.....	250.00
A. C. Berryman, Woodland Heights.....	225.00
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	\$ 2,775.00

Vouchers, Danville Churches, Local Work.....	\$1,750.00
Vouchers, Methodist Institute, Richmond.....	1,041.77
Vouchers, S. E. Bishop, Treasurer, Richmond....	114.68
Salary and Expenses, Rev. E. K. Odell.....	1,178.80
Salary and Expenses, Rev. J. M. Oakey, Jr.....	1,278.20
Salary and Expenses, Dr. T. N. Potts.....	565.00

Expenses of Board Meetings, etc.....	354.22	
Remitted J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer General		
Board of Missions.....	7,968.74	
Balance Reserve Fund in hands of Rev. C. E.		
Blankenship, Secretary.....	15,792.78	\$30,044.19
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		\$48,719.19

JOHN VICTOR, *Treasurer.*

November, 1917.

FERRUM TRAINING SCHOOL.

Receipts.

From charges at Conference as follows:

Charlottesville District:

Albemarle.....	\$	40.50	
Crozet.....		12.60	
Culpeper.....		48.18	
Gordonsville.....		5.00	
Louisa.....		15.00	
Monroe.....		4.00	
Nelson.....		6.78	
Rappahannock.....		41.17	
Scottsville.....		118.00	
South Nelson.....		8.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 299.23

Danville District:

Cascade.....	\$	5.46	
Cabell Street.....		5.00	
Grace.....		8.25	
Main Street.....		1,531.50	
Mt. Verron.....		1,115.00	
Danville Circuit.....		21.58	
Ferrum.....		250.00	
Franklin.....		3.50	
Henry.....		55.25	
Martinsville.....		146.50	
Martinsville Sunday School.....		50.00	
Pittsylvania.....		96.46	
Pittsylvania Sunday School.....		29.75	
Rocky Mount.....		69.50	
South Boston.....		35.00	
South Halifax.....		132.00	
Stuart and Wayside.....		21.85	
		<hr/>	\$3,576.60

Eastern Shore District:

Andrew Chapel.....	\$ 19.41	
Atlantic Sunday School.....	125.00	
Broadwater.....	81.26	
Cambridge.....	73.00	
Cambridge Circuit.....	31.13	
Cape Charles.....	141.00	
Capeville.....	400.00	
Cheriton.....	41.70	
Craddockville.....	131.03	
Franktown and Johnson's.....	372.00	
Keller.....	84.80	
Onancock.....	208.25	
Onley, Locustville and Melfa.....	86.45	
Pungoteague.....	50.00	
Salisbury.....	45.00	
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		\$1,890.03

Farmville District:

Blackstone.....	\$ 145.50	
Boydton.....	88.28	
Burkeville.....	44.00	
Cartersville.....	41.05	
Charlotte.....	27.50	
Chase City.....	56.00	
Clarksville.....	30.50	
Crewe.....	65.00	
Farmville.....	60.00	
Lunenburg.....	1.00	
Victoria.....	7.00	
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		\$ 565.83

Lynchburg District:

Appomattox.....	\$ 27.73	
Appomattox Circuit.....	27.73	
Bedford City.....	356.00	
Campbell.....	34.21	
Concord.....	1.00	
Elba.....	17.00	
Gladys.....	6.25	
Halifax.....	18.00	
Centenary.....	50.00	
Court Street.....	1,500.00	
Memorial.....	1,368.00	
Memorial Sunday School.....	200.00	
Rivermont.....	70.75	
Trinity.....	25.00	
West End.....	53.30	

Montvale.....	97.34	
Pamplin.....	50.00	
West Campbell.....	5.00	
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		\$3,907.31

Norfolk District:

Denby and Fairmount.....	\$ 213.26	
Central, Hampton.....	29.00	
First Church, Hampton.....	265.32	
Larchmont.....	200.00	
Lynnhaven.....	23.25	
Brambleton.....	2.00	
Colonial Avenue.....	114.55	
Cumberland Street.....	223.30	
Epworth.....	1,500.00	
Ghent.....	347.50	
Le Kies Memorial.....	48.80	
Liberty Street.....	50.00	
McKendree.....	104.90	
Memorial.....	212.50	
Zion.....	43.80	
North Princess Anne.....	21.36	
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		\$3,399.54

Petersburg District:

East Dinwiddie.....	\$ 5.00	
Emporia.....	50.05	
Ettrick.....	12.10	
Lawrenceville.....	25.00	
Mecklenburg.....	8.00	
High Street.....	11.55	
Market Street.....	137.75	
Washington Street.....	55.00	
Wesley.....	23.80	
Prince George.....	100.00	
South Dinwiddie.....	2.25	
South Hill.....	14.25	
Sussex.....	258.96	
Wakefield.....	53.00	
West Brunswick.....	28.00	
West Dinwiddie.....	50.00	
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		\$ 834.71

Portsmouth and Newport News District:

Benn's.....	\$ 100.00	
Boykin's.....	21.00	
Capron.....	6.79	
Churchland and West Norfolk.....	165.30	

Newsom's.....	7.00	
Chestnut Avenue.....	31.11	
Trinity.....	46.50	
Norfolk Circuit.....	13.75	
Broad Street.....	36.50	
Central.....	15.22	
Cottage Place.....	10.00	
Elm Avenue.....	9.05	
Monumental Sunday School.....	500.00	
Park View.....	41.35	
Wright Memorial.....	7.85	
Main Street, Suffolk.....	108.23	
Whaleyville.....	26.90	
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		\$1,146.55

Rappahannock District:

Gloucester.....	\$ 63.12	
Heathsville.....	5.20	
West Matthews.....	5.00	
West Point.....	30.55	
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		\$ 103.87

Richmond District:

Ashland.....	\$ 26.70	
Bowling Green.....	20.00	
Henrico.....	32.78	
Asbury and Oakland.....	30.30	
Barton Heights.....	105.40	
Broad Street.....	87.01	
Centenary.....	100.00	
Central.....	200.00	
Clay Street.....	105.40	
Decatur Street.....	50.00	
Grace.....	5.00	
Laurel Street.....	111.78	
Monument.....	292.50	
St. James.....	37.00	
Trinity and Mission.....	67.85	
Union Station.....	50.00	
Woodland Heights.....	17.60	
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		\$1,339.32

\$17,062.99*Disbursements.*

Remittances direct by charges.....	\$9,261.61	
Remitted B. M. Beckham, Treasurer.....	1,000.00	
Remitted B. M. Beckham, Treasurer.....	6,801.38	
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		\$17,062.99

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JOHN VICTOR, *Treasurer.*

CHURCH EXTENSION.

Receipts.

Balance from last year.....	\$7,173.21
Interest from Bank.....	112.80
From Charges at Conference.....	17,802.05
From W. F. McMurry, Secretary, refund for over-remittance.....	31.27
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	\$25,119.33

Disbursements.

Remitted W. F. McMurry, Secretary-Treasurer, for Virginia Conference Loan Fund.....	\$2,168.72
Rev. W. J. Twilley, for expenses.....	50.00
Paid appropriations as follows:	
Branch Memorial Church, Richmond District....	300.00
Decatur Street Church, Richmond District.....	300.00
Denny Street Church, Richmond District.....	200.00
Grace Memorial Church, Portsmouth District....	500.00
Fort Grove Church, Petersburg District.....	150.00
Branchville Church, Portsmouth District.....	200.00
East Halifax Parsonage, Danville District.....	300.00
Urbanna Parsonage, Rappahannock District.....	300.00
Vincent Grove Church, Portsmouth District....	200.00
St. Andrew's Church, Eastern Shore District....	500.00
Lebanon Church, Petersburg District.....	100.00
White Hall Church, Farmville District.....	300.00
Willis Chapel Church, Charlottesville District....	300.00
Centenary Church, Farmville District.....	150.00
City Point Church, Petersburg District.....	250.00
Highland Springs Church, Richmond District....	250.00
Broad St. Church, Alta Vista, Lynchburg District	110.00
Balance in hands of Treasurer.....	18,490.61
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	\$25,119.33

NOTE.—The Board of Church Extension reports distribution of balance as follows:

To the Representative Church, Washington.....	\$3,540.00
To the General Board of Church Extension.....	7,231.03
Added to our Conference Loan Fund.....	3,240.00
Donated to Churches.....	2,310.00
Donated to Parsonages.....	1,400.00
Expenses.....	50.00
Balance on Hand.....	719.58
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	\$18,490.61

November, 1917.

JOHN VICTOR, *Treasurer.*

CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.

Receipts.

Balance from last year.....	\$ 267.18	
From J. R. Stewart, Secretary-Treasurer Super- annuate Endowment Fund.....	660.00	
From Smith and Lamar, Agents Publishing House.	850.00	
From Smith and Lamar, Trustees Collins Bequest.	27.00	
From B. F. Lipscomb, Treasurer Hall Fund.....	161.76	
From Charges at Conference.....	26,626.72	
	<hr/>	\$28,592.66

Disbursements.

Paid appropriations as follows:

Rev. W. G. Bates, wife and one child.....	\$ 425.00
C. H. Boggs.....	210.00
H. C. Bowles.....	100.00
C. W. Cain, wife and one child.....	282.00
W. R. Crowder and wife.....	96.00
S. W. Day and wife.....	240.00
T. P. Duke and wife.....	260.00
Jno. R. Gill.....	50.00
C. H. Green and wife.....	390.00
W. H. Gregory.....	130.00
B. S. Herrink and wife.....	260.00
W. P. Jordan and wife.....	260.00
W. E. Judkins.....	210.00
S. S. Lambeth and wife.....	420.00
W. A. Laughon and wife.....	360.00
J. E. McSparran.....	210.00
Jas. O. Moss.....	360.00
J. E. Oyler.....	250.00
E. P. Parham and wife.....	360.00
J. W. Parrish and wife.....	220.00
N. J. Pruden and wife.....	390.00
J. Q. Rhodes and wife.....	173.00
W. H. Riddick, wife and two children.....	330.00
J. R. Sturgis and wife.....	360.00
W. A. Tompkins, wife and two children.....	481.00
D. J. Traynham and wife.....	260.00
C. W. Turner, wife and child.....	402.00
Chas. E. Watts and wife.....	420.00
C. C. Wertenbaker and wife.....	420.00
J. T. Whitley and wife.....	390.00
W. J. Williams, wife and four children.....	380.00

J. P. Woodward and wife.....	240.00
Mrs. W. E. Allen.....	120.00
J. M. Anderson.....	180.00
H. T. Bacon.....	165.00
R. F. Beadles and one child.....	200.00
A. C. Bledsoe.....	165.00
T. M. Beckham.....	90.00
J. W. Baker and one child.....	200.00
R. E. Bentley.....	150.00
L. B. Betty.....	302.00
R. B. Blankinship.....	245.00
W. E. Bullard and one child.....	185.00
Geo. E. Booker, Sr.....	180.00
E. N. S. Blogg.....	180.00
Paul Bradley.....	120.00
T. H. Campbell.....	130.00
W. H. Christian.....	120.00
J. W. Compton.....	110.00
J. W. Crider.....	195.00
R. A. Compton.....	195.00
J. H. Crown.....	120.00
C. D. Crawley.....	110.00
J. H. Dalby.....	110.00
J. B. DeBerry.....	180.00
S. R. Drewry.....	265.00
Bascom Dey and three children.....	50.00
Jas. A. Duncan.....	110.00
S. W. Eason.....	100.00
W. E. Edwards, Sr.....	180.00
W. E. Edwards, Jr., and one child.....	135.00
M. S. Elliott and three children.....	250.00
J. D. Forkner and three children.....	284.00
C. H. Galloway.....	165.00
J. R. Griffith.....	130.00
L. W. Guyer and three children.....	276.00
E. E. Harrell and one child.....	169.00
J. D. Hank.....	130.00
J. W. Hilldrump.....	180.00
W. I. Hunter.....	200.00
C. E. Hobday.....	195.00
R. G. James and two children.....	249.00
E. M. Jordan.....	180.00
A. A. Jones.....	180.00
J. H. Kabler.....	180.00
J. G. Lennon and four children.....	305.00
B. E. Ledbetter.....	195.00
J. C. Martin.....	180.00
H. F. B. Martin and five children.....	340.00

J. T. Moore (Special).....	50.00
R. H. Mullen.....	110.00
J. H. Patteson.....	165.00
W. E. Payne.....	120.00
F. W. Proctor.....	150.00
B. S. Pendleton, for Rev. T. S. Leitch's child	35.00
E. H. Pritchett.....	180.00
D. W. Reed.....	150.00
N. H. Robertson.....	165.00
W. A. Robinson.....	100.00
Jno. Q. Rhodes.....	228.00
J. A. Smith.....	100.00
B. F. Smith.....	110.00
G. E. B. Smith and five children.....	340.00
W. R. Smithey.....	120.00
W. G. Starr.....	210.00
B. F. Tenneille.....	110.00
T. J. Taylor.....	210.00
J. W. Tucker.....	180.00
J. F. Twitty.....	110.00
W. C. Vaden.....	110.00
D. M. Wallace.....	120.00
T. P. Wise.....	120.00
M. L. Williams.....	165.00
E. P. Wilson.....	180.00
W. P. Wright.....	130.00
G. M. Wright.....	150.00
C. S. Wamsley.....	120.00
R. H. Younger and one child.....	135.00
B. C. Beahm and three children.....	105.00

Specials.

Miss Nita Blincoe.....	\$50.00
Laura Blincoe.....	50.00
Edith Boggs.....	120.00
Fannie Boggs.....	75.00
Nannie Carter.....	100.00
Ida Edwards.....	25.00
Nannie Forkner.....	50.00
Ella Gibson.....	50.00
Mattie Littleton.....	100.00
M. C. Nolley.....	50.00
Jennie Patteson.....	100.00
Mary Rosser.....	150.00
Jennie Sledd.....	75.00
Mollie Scott.....	50.00
Lee Blankinship.....	75.00
Annie Wilson.....	50.00
Mr. W. H. Gary.....	50.00

Funeral Expenses.

Rev. Jno. Q. Rhodes.....	50.00	
Rev. L. B. Betty.....	50.00	
Rev. W. R. Crowder.....	50.00	
Mrs. B. M. Beckham.....	50.00	
Mrs. W. R. Crowder.....	50.00	
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		\$23,467.00
Dr. Jas. Cannon, Jr., expense to meeting.....	\$ 6.70	
Interest on borrowed money.....	21.43	
Remitted J. R. Stewart, Secretary-Treasurer Su- perannuate Endowment Fund.....	1,775.12	
Balance in hands of B. M. Beckham, Chairman..	3,322.41	\$ 5,125.66
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		\$28,592.66

JOHN VICTOR, *Treasurer.*

November, 1917.

VIRGINIA CONFERENCE ORPHANAGE.

Receipts.

From charges at Conference.....	\$11,245.75
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Disbursements.

Vouchers for direct remittances.....	\$10,332.17	
Remitted Rev. A. B. Sharpe, Superintendent, to balance.....	913.58	
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		\$11,245.75

JOHN VICTOR, *Treasurer.*

November, 1917.

BISHOPS' FUND.

Receipts.

From charges at Conference.....	\$ 4,533.00
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Disbursements.

Remitted Smith and Lamar, Agents.....	4,533.00
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JOHN VICTOR, *Treasurer.*

November, 1917.

EDUCATIONAL EXTENSION AND RANDOLPH-MACON
COLLEGE.*Receipts.*

From charges at Conference on Educational Extension assessment.....	\$ 6,674.44	
From charges at Conference on Randolph-Macon College assessment.....	10,109.16	
	<hr/>	\$16,783.60

Disbursements.

Remitted S. C. Hatcher, Treasurer Randolph-Macon College (assessment \$12,000).....	\$10,093.88	
Remitted Jas. Cannon, Jr., Treasurer Conference Board of Education (assessment \$2,500).....	2,102.90	
Remitted Stonewall Anderson, Treasurer General Board of Education (assessment \$5,453).....	4,586.82	
	<hr/>	\$16,783.60

JOHN VICTOR, *Treasurer.*

November, 1917.

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY.

Receipts.

From charges at Conference.....	\$ 2,971.89
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Disbursements.

Vouchers for direct remittances.....	\$ 648.51	
Remitted Wm. Fowlke, Treasurer, to balance....	2,323.38	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,971.89

JOHN VICTOR, *Treasurer.*

November, 1917.

CHILDREN'S DAY.

Receipts.

From charges at Conference.....	\$ 3,256.13
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Disbursements.

Vouchers for direct remittances.....	\$ 1,729.91	
Remitted C. F. Comer, Treasurer, to balance....	1,526.22	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,256.13

November, 1917.

JOHN VICTOR, *Treasurer.*

CONFERENCE ANNUAL.

Receipts.

Balance from last year.....	\$	800.48	
From preachers at Conference.....		656.25	
Annals sold by Editor.....		35.02	
Advertisements in 1916 Annual.....		112.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 1,603.75

Disbursements.

Burke & Gregory, printing Annual.....	\$	777.48	
Rev. J. T. Whitley, Editor, salary.....		100.00	
Postage, stationery, labels, etc.....		22.33	
Telegrams, etc.....		1.10	
Balance on hand.....		702.84	
		<hr/>	\$ 1,603.75

JOHN VICTOR, *Treasurer.*

November, 1917.

GENERAL CONFERENCE EXPENSES.

Receipts.

Balance from last year.....	\$	15.93	
From charges at Conference.....		3,282.56	
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Disbursements.

Remitted Smith and Lamar, Agents.....	\$ 3,298.49
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JOHN VICTOR, *Treasurer.*

November, 1917.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Receipts.

From Onancock, Eastern Shore District, for District Parsonage.....	\$	6.00	
From Bedford, Lynchburg District, for Colporteur		3.00	
From Isle of Wight, for Rosebuds.....		9.00	
From Smithfield, for Red Cross Work.....		142.30	
		<hr/>	\$ 160.30

Disbursements.

Remitted Rev. J. F. Carey, P. E.....	\$	6.00
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Remitted Wm. Irby, Blackstone.....	3.00	
Remitted F. L. Kerns, Treasurer.....	9.00	
Remitted Red Cross Association, New York.....	142.30	
		\$ 160.30

JOHN VICTOR, *Treasurer.*

November, 1917.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE EXPENSES.

Receipts.

Balance from last year.....	\$1,062.73	
Interest on Bank balance.....	24.00	
From charges at Conference.....	1,815.44	
		\$2,902.17

Disbursements.

Dr. Jas. Cannon, Secretary Board of Education	\$150.00	
Julius Straus & Son, Insurance on typewriter..	2.50	
Miss Lavinder, copying reports.....	5.00	
Rev. F. L. Wells, copying Appendix.....	29.01	
Dr. Jas. Cannon, expense to meeting of Bound- ary Commission.....	13.30	
Rev. W. A. Christian, balance on Conference Entertainment, 1916.....	2.00	
Virginia Specialty Co., Conference Entertain- ment, 1915.....	4.50	
Peoples National Bank, printing check-book....	.96	
Dr. B. F. Lipscomb, Roll book.....	1.50	
Bishop W. A. Candler, expense to Washington..	10.00	
Rev. S. J. Battin, Statistical Secretary.....	150.00	
Rev. E. T. Dadmun, traveling expenses.....	5.00	
Jno. Victor, Treasurer, sundry expenses.....	4.85	
Underwood Typewriter Co., repairs.....	7.75	
A. W. Robbins, Conference envelopes.....	3.00	
I. H. Adams, Jr., Treasurer Conference Enter- tainment Committee.....	2,500.00	
Balance on hand.....	12.80	
		\$2,902.17

JOHN VICTOR, *Treasurer.*

November, 1917.

CONFERENCE ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE.

Receipts.

From John Victor, Treasurer.....	\$2,500.00	
From local contributions.....	279.90	
		\$2,779.90

Disbursements.

Hotel Carroll.....	\$1,466.50	
Hotel Virginian.....	185.33	
Mrs. G. H. Miller, Chairman, Conference dinners	1,122.75	
Burnett House.....	89.70	
Mrs. L. B. Thornhill.....	45.00	
Parkmont Tea Room.....	9.50	
Miss Eaton.....	25.00	
Hotel Virginian.....	53.20	
J. P. Bell Co.....	8.85	
Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Co.....	17.75	
Young Men's Christian Association.....	33.00	
Long's Transfer Co.....	9.50	
Rev. E. H. Rowe, hotel bill.....	18.95	\$3,085.03
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Deficit.....		\$ 305.13

J. P. PETTYJOHN, *Chairman.*I. H. ADAMS, JR., *Treasurer.*

November, 1917.

STATISTICS OF MEMBERSHIP AND FINANCE
CHARLOTTESVILLE DISTRICT—R. T. WATERFIELD, Presiding Elder.

CHARGES	PASTORS	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Organized Churches.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value of Church Buildings.	Indebtedness on Church Buildings.	Number of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Parsonages.	Value of All Other Church Property.	Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Total Insurance Carried.	Premium Paid.	Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.
1. Albemarle.....	J. E. Hearn.....		125	33	70	794	115	...	6	6	\$ 8,000	...	1	\$ 1,800	...	\$ 500	\$ 500	\$ 7,670	16	...	...	...	...
2. Amherst.....	R. S. Baughan.....	1	39	18	19	578	32	3	4	4	8,000	...	1	2,000	...	700	...	2,000	14	...	...	...	...
3. Batesville.....	L. H. Early.....		55	1	25	1,216	50	2	6	6	15,000	...	1	4,500	...	600	550	6,500	15	...	...	...	...
4. Brightwood.....	E. W. Somerville.....		38	4	15	785	45	1	6	6	9,210	...	1	1,500	...	500	...	5,000	35	...	...	...	...
Charlottesville:																							
5. First Church.....	J. K. Jolliff.....	1	36	31	34	1,272	24	5	1	1	15,000	...	2	10,000	...	1,800	...	14,000	25	...	...	...	...
6. Hinton Avenue.....	R. L. Wingfield.....		34	41	14	459	25	7	1	1	7,000	701	1	2,500	...	...	324	5,250	...	...	...	...	...
7. Crozet.....	S. W. Day.....		1	4	2	227	1	...	1	1	3,500	...	1	2,500	1,250	1,800	970	4,500	5	...	...	...	...
8. Culpeper.....	W. W. Lear.....		12	6	25	319	12	1	1	1	6,500	...	1	4,000	...	600	25	4,000	...	...	...	...	...
9. Culpeper Circuit.....	W. H. Grubbs.....		33	11	3	694	33	1	6	6	8,500	60	1	2,500	200	700	200	3,300	...	...	...	...	...
10. East Albemarle.....	J. B. Pettus.....		13	...	11	188	7	...	4	4	1,800	...	...	...	...	45	...	3,500	15	...	...	...	...
11. Fluvanna.....	J. B. Lavinder.....		17	2	3	780	17	...	7	7	9,800	...	1	2,500	...	...	130	6,800	...	...	...	...	...
12. Gordonsville.....	Frank Burruss.....		18	6	3	499	12	...	5	4	8,000	...	1	1,650	...	...	...	1,600	...	...	...	...	...
13. Greene.....	H. J. Brown.....		32	1	33	904	27	...	8	7	13,500	...	1	2,700	...	...	31	6,200	...	...	...	...	...
14. Louisa.....	C. T. Thrift.....	1	18	7	29	821	13	...	9	7	15,300	...	1	3,000	...	...	...	6,200	...	...	...	...	...
15. Madison and Mountain Mission.....	T. O. Edwards.....	1	31	...	15	620	21	3	5	4	6,000	...	1	3,000	...	...	18	2,000	4	...	...	...	...
16. Monroe.....	Asa Driscoll.....		6	9	20	386	6	5	5	5	6,000	...	1	2,500	...	300	1,400	6,450	24	...	...	...	...
17. Mount Pleasant.....	O. L. Haga.....		47	5	49	948	34	...	7	6	6,200	...	1	1,200	...	750	150	1,200	...	...	...	...	...
18. Nelson.....	C. H. Fielding.....		37	5	120	660	34	5	4	4	10,000	...	1	1,750	...	500	500	1,750	9	...	...	...	...
19. Orange.....	O. M. Clarke.....		17	7	17	524	17	...	4	4	11,500	...	1	2,500	...	...	149	8,250	35	...	...	...	...
20. Rapidan.....	Walter H. Euston.....		12	...	10	474	12	...	4	4	10,000	...	1	3,000	...	...	6	7,000	9	...	...	...	...
21. Rappahannock.....	W. A. Orser.....	1	19	20	19	713	14	...	7	6	15,700	800	1	3,500	...	600	407	10,950	...	...	...	...	...
22. Scottsville.....	L. L. Banks.....		25	4	15	583	18	...	5	5	12,500	...	1	3,000	...	450	605	4,500	52	...	...	...	...
23. South Amherst.....	C. L. Salmon.....		48	5	8	621	37	4	7	6	8,700	...	1	2,000	...	200	...	2,600	19	...	...	...	...
24. South Nelson.....	J. C. Beasley.....		42	1	104	725	34	1	6	6	8,000	...	...	...	...	...	2,000	...	...	...	...	...	...
25. West Amherst.....	G. H. I. Mayo.....	1	5	7	6	222	2	2	4	4	3,550	...	1	1,500	375	...	710	2,100	7	...	...	...	...
26. West Goochland.....	W. H. Keyser.....		24	6	5	415	22	...	4	4	8,000	...	1	1,500	...	400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27. West Hanover.....	H. V. Shenton.....		42	...	7	716	39	3	5	5	6,000	...	1	2,500	...	250	188	2,900	...	...	...	...	...
TOTALS FOR 1917.....		6	826	234	681	1,7143	703	43	132	124	241,260	1,561	26	69,100	1,825	10,650	6,908	122,020	284	...	...	...	...
TOTALS FOR 1916.....		9	1,075	467	1,053	1,6735	883	46	131	124	226,850	2,405	25	61,050	2,004	10,450	8,625	117,086	310	...	...	...	...
INCREASE.....						408			1	...	14,410	...	1	8,050	...	200	...	4,934	...	...	...	...	...
DECREASE.....		3	249	233	372	...	180	3	...	...	...	844	...	...	179	...	1,717	...	26	...	...	...	...

CHARLOTTESVILLE DISTRICT—Continued.

CHARGES	Number of Epworth Leagues	Epworth League Members	Raised by Leagues for Missions (on Assessment)	Raised by Leagues for Missions (Special)	Collection League Anniversary Day	Raised by Leagues for Other Objects	Total Raised by Leagues	Number of Sunday Schools	Number Officers and Teachers	Enrollment in All Departments	Members in Home Department	Children on Cradle Roll	Number of Training Classes	Number of Wesley Bible Classes	Pupils Joining Church During the year	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (on Assessment)	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (Special)	Raised on Children's Day	Raised for Sunday School Supplies	Raised by Sunday Schools for Other Objects	Total Raised by Sunday Schools
1. Albemarle.....								6	57	479	30	18			43		\$ 100	\$ 15	\$ 199	\$ 85	\$ 399
2. Amherst.....								5	58	484	45	53		3	39		100	24	161	7	292
3. Batesville.....	2	120		\$ 50		\$ 50	\$ 100	5	67	507			1	4	45	\$ 11	318	7	245		581
4. Brightwood.....									51	310		11			27	31	11	8	97		147
Charlottesville:																					
5. First Church.....	1	100						1	43	914	200	64	1	2	16		401	10	430		841
6. Hinton Avenue.....								1	22	384	49	12			21	51		3	189	18	261
7. Crozet.....								1	21	131	11	10			1	16		6	73	37	132
8. Culpeper.....	1	40	\$ 8	4		23	35	1	18	294	18	21			7	13	87	10	82	40	232
9. Culpeper Circuit.....								6	35	300			1				20	11	91	11	133
10. East Albemarle.....								4	15	128					6			3	25		28
11. Fluvanna.....								6	62	433					13	13			100		113
12. Gordonsville.....								5	38	351	34	28	1	2	12	14	108	11	161	60	354
13. Greene.....								8	67	517	26	17			20		30	4	75	40	149
14. Louisa.....								7	69	460		50			12	70		8		260	338
15. Madison and Mountain Mission.....								4	25	150	18	15	1		17		50	2	25		77
16. Monroe.....	1	20				4	4	4	35	312		19		3	6	10		34	157		201
17. Mount Pleasant.....								8	50	800					40		75	17	107	30	229
18. Nelson.....								4	44	394	72	14			30			8	75	65	155
19. Orange.....								4	28	277	16	17	1	2	12	20		8	128	12	168
20. Rapidan.....								3	22	234	15	54	1	1	8			6	55	33	96
21. Rappahannock.....								5	45	419	24	15		1			2	13	109	30	252
22. Scottsville.....								5	39	277	30	20				18	100		236	62	416
23. South Amherst.....								7	50	440								10	48	70	128
24. South Nelson.....								7	60	659	50	90			15	40		7	75	10	132
25. West Amherst.....								4	33	107								2	17		19
26. West Goochland.....								4	35	300						15		5	57		77
27. West Hanover.....								5	34	377	21	44				15		12	62	23	112
TOTALS FOR 1917....	5	280	8	54		77	139	127	1,123	10,438	659	577	7	18	390	344	1,502	244	3,079	893	6,062
TOTALS FOR 1916....	3	230	10	45		60	115	126	1,096	10,047	422	542	6	16	404	362	1,324	256	2,602	866	5,410
INCREASE.....	2	50		9		17	24	1	27	391	237	35	1	2	14		178		477	27	652
DECREASE.....			2													18		12			

CHARGES	Salary of Presiding Elder, Excluding Parsonage		Salary of Pastor, Excluding Parsonage		Bishops' Fund		Conference Claimants and Superannuate Endowment Fund		Foreign Missions			Home and Conference Missions				Woman's Work		
									On Assessment		Special	On Assessment		Home Missions (Special)	Conf. Missions (Special: Ferrum School)	Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Members	Amount Collected
	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Paid			
1. Albemarle.....	\$ 80	\$ 80	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,107	\$ 16	\$ 16	\$ 93	\$ 93	\$ 92	\$ 32	.....	\$ 119	\$ 119	.....	.....	\$ 1	\$ 29	\$ 40
2. Amherst.....	87	87	1,050	1,050	20	20	112	112	111	111	.....	144	130	.....	.....	1	38	82
3. Batesville.....	105	105	1,100	1,130	21	21	121	121	117	117	.....	151	151	.....	.....	4	132	251
4. Brightwood.....	60	60	650	650	11	7	71	39	70	34	\$ 20	90	63	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Charlottesville:																		
5. First Church.....	225	225	2,000	2,000	40	40	230	230	222	222	.....	288	288	.....	.....	3	151	344
6. Hinton Avenue.....	75	71	900	856	13	4	87	29	72	24	.....	94	31	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7. Crozet.....	50	50	700	592	10	.....	57	.....	56	14	.....	72	14	.....	\$ 12	1	11	12
8. Culpeper.....	105	105	1,200	1,200	20	20	112	112	111	90	63	144	144	.....	48	1	25	168
9. Culpeper Circuit.....	60	60	900	900	13	10	75	55	72	53	.....	90	64	.....	.....	2	25	161
10. East Albemarle.....	25	25	255	255	5	3	28	14	25	12	2	30	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11. Fluvanna.....	70	70	900	900	14	6	85	52	75	43	.....	98	54	.....	.....	1	26	31
12. Gordonsville.....	75	70	750	700	15	8	80	40	83	51	.....	107	63	.....	5	1	11	30
13. Greene.....	75	75	900	900	16	8	80	45	84	65	.....	107	55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
14. Louisa.....	110	110	1,325	1,400	22	15	124	100	122	36	.....	158	145	.....	15	2	60	62
15. Madison and Mountain Mission.....	80	80	1,000	1,000	18	18	100	100	100	48	.....	130	62	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
16. Monroe.....	85	85	1,000	1,000	17	10	110	46	95	45	.....	123	45	.....	4	2	31	87
17. Mount Pleasant.....	70	70	850	850	14	14	85	85	75	75	32	100	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18. Nelson.....	75	75	1,000	1,052	15	10	85	57	83	51	.....	108	74	.....	.....	.....	.....	377
19. Orange.....	75	75	900	900	15	12	85	80	83	83	.....	108	100	.....	.....	1	30	88
20. Rapidan.....	60	60	800	777	12	11	67	60	67	61	.....	86	77	.....	.....	2	33	79
21. Rappahannock.....	90	90	1,050	1,058	17	10	110	66	95	57	.....	123	74	.....	41	.....	.....	.....
22. Scottsville.....	82	82	1,000	1,000	18	18	110	110	102	109	.....	133	133	.....	118	.....	.....	.....
23. South Amherst.....	60	60	700	711	12	12	75	75	67	70	40	86	86	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
24. South Nelson.....	52	52	800	800	12	8	75	55	67	45	.....	86	60	.....	8	.....	.....	.....
25. West Amherst.....	30	30	360	360	7	4	35	22	39	22	.....	50	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
26. West Goochland.....	40	28	400	282	8	6	41	35	44	15	.....	57	30	.....	.....	1	20	10
27. West Hanover.....	55	55	700	779	12	5	67	44	67	40	.....	86	40	.....	.....	1	.....	6
TOTALS FOR 1917....	2,056	2,035	24,190	24,209	413	316	2,400	1,877	2,296	1,685	157	2,974	2,239	.....	251	24	622	1,823
TOTALS FOR 1916....	2,056	2,037	22,060	21,808	413	303	2,320	1,685	2,296	1,533	230	2,974	2,025	.....	272	26	551	1,215
INCREASE.....	.....	.....	2,130	2,401	.....	13	80	192	.....	152	.....	.....	214	.....	.....	.....	71	613
DECREASE.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	73	.....	.....	.....	21	2	.....	.....

DANVILLE DISTRICT—S. J. BROWN, Presiding Elder.

CHARGES	PASTORS	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Organized Churches.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value of Church Buildings.	Indebtedness on Church Buildings.	Number of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Parsonages.	Value of All Other Church Property.	Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Total Insurance Carried.	Premium Paid.	Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.
1. Cascade.....	A. W. Linthicum....		16	1	36	334	16		7	7	\$ 8,000		1	\$ 1,600									
2. Chatham.....	O. B. Newton.....		81	9	11	722			6	6	12,500		1	2,000			\$ 75	\$ 7,200					
3. Cabell Street Memorial.....	W. B. Jett.....		38	24	39	541	34		1	1	8,000		1	3,000		\$ 1,950	3,021	12,600					
4. Calvary.....	J. H. Moss.....		33	37		425	30		1	1	50,000	\$ 7,750	1	5,000		2,000	3,483	32,000					
5. Grace.....	L. W. Hendrickson.	1	17	9	39	241	5	1	1	1	5,000					375		1,000	\$ 10				
6. Main Street.....	J. N. Latham.....	2	19	33	24	732	9	4	1	1	50,000		1	10,000		5,000	81	35,000	232				
7. Mount Vernon.....	G. H. Spooner.....	1	18	12	36	563	8	2	1	1	50,000	6,500	1	5,000		3,000	1,053	27,500	87				
8. Schoolfield.....	John Marshall.....		35	13	65	133	35	1	1	1	3,000		1	2,000			1,025						
9. Sledd Memorial.....	C. T. Harrell.....		11	11	4	148	11	1	2	2	5,800					300	15	2,000	100				
10. Danville Circuit.....	J. M. Moser.....	1	5	1	13	663	5		7	7	6,700		1	2,500			323	4,400	90				
11. East Franklin.....	Roy Moore.....		24	2	6	520	13	1	6	6	7,000		1	2,500			140	800					
12. East Halifax.....	J. W. Wimbish.....		24	4	91	532	24		5	5	6,800		1	3,000	\$ 595	475	507	12,000	25				
13. Ferrum.....	J. W. Bouldin.....	2	27	5	17	114	27		1	1	1,500					50							
14. Franklin.....	E. G. Kilgore.....	1	36	5	5	406	30	2	6	5	9,000		1	2,000			242						
15. Henry.....	C. C. Jones.....		9	6	5	478	9		7	7	12,000	500	1	2,000		1,000	117	1,300	12				
16. Hyco.....	E. W. Elliott.....		21	12	5	553	2		5	5	4,800		1	1,200			500	500					
17. Martinsville.....	W. R. Proctor.....		8	10	4	276	8	8	1	1	6,000		1	2,500		650	50	6,000	39				
18. North Patrick.....	W. J. Craddock.....	1	45	1	1	348	45	1	6	5	3,400					350	25	2,200	9				
19. Patrick.....	S. H. Pulliam.....		22	262	15	528	22		7	6	6,800		1	2,000				2,500	8				
20. Pittsylvania.....	G. T. Kessler.....		27	121	72	626	20		7	7	8,750		1	1,500		1,000	80	2,000					
21. Rocky Mount.....	B. T. Candler.....		22	9	13	290	20	3	1	1	5,000		1	3,000			600	4,250	19				
22. South Boston.....	J. T. Allen.....		18	63	30	415	10	2	1	3	13,000		1	4,000				4,800	28				
23. South Franklin.....	E. M. Higginbotham		15	1	27	278	10		4	3	2,500					110		1,000	8				
24. South Halifax.....	M. M. Leggett.....	2	20	5	5	560	18		5	4	6,500	450	1	2,500		200	100	4,200	29				
25. Stuart and Wayside.....	A. P. Williams.....		1	20	239	200	1		2	2	12,300		1	2,500		200	1,020	6,000	28				
26. West Franklin.....	J. R. Bradshaw.....		19		6	288	19		4	4	4,500		1	1,500		150	40	400	3				
TOTALS FOR 1917.....		11	611	676	808	10,914	431	26	96	95	308,850	15,200	21	61,300	595	16,810	12,497	169,650	727				
TOTALS FOR 1916.....		9	635	523	853	10,604	531	29	97	93	272,100	13,492	21	57,050	1,075	21,785	13,505	143,356	705		1	\$65	\$65
INCREASE.....		2		153		310				2	36,750	1,708		4,250				26,294	22				
DECREASE.....			24		45		100	6	1						480	4,975	1,008				1	65	65

DANVILLE DISTRICT—Continued.

CHARGES	Number of Epworth Leagues	Epworth League Members	Raised by Leagues for Missions (on Assessment)	Raised by Leagues for Missions (Special)	Collection League Anniversary Day	Raised by Leagues for Other Objects	Total Raised by Leagues	Number of Sunday Schools	Number Officers and Teachers	Enrollment in All Departments	Members in Home Department	Children on Cradle Roll	Number of Training Classes	Number of Wesley Bible Classes	Pupils Joining Church During the year	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (on Assessment)	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (Special)	Raised on Children's Day	Raised for Sunday School Supplies	Raised by Sunday Schools for Other Objects	Total Raised by Sunday Schools
1. Cascade.....								4	26	326					40				\$ 86		\$ 86
2. Chatham.....	1	12						6	50	550							\$ 50	\$ 8	225		283
Danville:																					
3. Cabell Street Memorial.....								1	22	860	100	150		2	30	\$ 100				\$ 623	844
4. Calvary.....	1	20						1	35	331					30	75		11	409		495
5. Grace.....								1	13	282			62	4	17	103		2	142	181	428
6. Main Street.....								1	48	545	93	36	1		12		75		210	388	673
7. Mount Vernon.....								1	46	596	150	19	1	3	12			15	413	551	979
8. Schoolfield.....								1	12	200		20		1	10	51			75	16	142
9. Sledd Memorial.....								2	10	140	20								27	94	121
10. Danville Circuit.....								7	36	570				1	3	10		14	79	125	228
11. East Franklin.....								7	34	265									45		45
12. East Halifax.....								5	37	425					24			8	171	110	289
13. Ferrum.....								1	15	202					14			4		75	79
14. Franklin.....								5	38	350					30		5		25		30
15. Henry.....								7	43	285					9				84	37	121
16. Hyco.....								5	30	300					8	5		5	70		80
17. Martinsville.....								5	18	210	30	50		3	8		100	7	102	51	260
18. North Patrick.....								7	35	400					29				50	7	57
19. Patrick.....								6	28	291		21			16			7	34		49
20. Pittsylvania.....	1	20				10	10	7	45	575					20		30	5	75	26	136
21. Rocky Mount.....								2	26	450	32	49		3	12		202	7	180	78	467
22. South Boston.....								3	40	375	16	40		1	8	168		7	215	25	415
23. South Franklin.....								3	19	180					10			1	16		17
24. South Halifax.....								5	34	376		12	1				27	10	61	37	135
25. Stuart and Wayside.....								2	15	220		25		4	1			4	75		79
26. West Franklin.....								4	16	250						10			20		30
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	3	52				10	10	95	771	9,534	441	484	3	22	343	530	489	115	3,010	2,424	6,568
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	3	85				32	32	92	742	9,899	495	417	2	15	370	130	350	74	3,114	1,781	5,457
INCREASE.....								3	29			67	1	7		400	139	41		643	1,111
DECREASE.....		33				22	22			385	54				27				104		

DANVILLE DISTRICT—Continued.

CHARGES	Salary of Presiding Elder, Excluding Parsonage		Salary of Pastor, Excluding Parsonage		Bishops' Fund		Conference Claimants and Superannuate Endowment Fund		Foreign Missions			Home and Conference Missions				Woman's Work		
									On Assessment		Special	On Assessment		Home Missions (Special)	Conf. Missions (Special: Ferrum School)	Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Members	Amount Collected
	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Paid			
1. Cascade.....	\$ 63	\$ 63	\$ 607	\$ 662	\$ 11	\$ 6	\$ 63	\$ 32	\$ 60	\$ 30	.....	\$ 78	\$ 39	.....	\$ 5	.....	.....	\$ 67
2. Chatham.....	114	114	1,000	1,000	19	19	114	114	109	109	\$ 50	141	141	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Danville:																		
3. Cabell Street Memorial.....	137	137	1,200	1,200	23	23	137	137	131	31	.....	169	169	.....	5	3	100	284
4. Calvary.....	137	137	1,200	1,200	23	23	137	137	131	56	.....	169	169	.....	.....	.....	.....	176
5. Grace.....	63	63	550	550	11	11	63	63	60	60	.....	78	78	.....	8	1	45	23
6. Main Street.....	342	342	3,000	3,000	59	59	342	342	327	327	2,000	424	424	\$ 1,350	1,531	2	111	1,222
7. Mount Vernon.....	205	205	2,500	2,500	49	49	285	285	273	273	727	353	353	300	1,115	2	102	885
8. Schoolfield.....	40	40	350	350	7	1	40	13	38	38	.....	50	59	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
9. Sledd Memorial.....	23	23	200	247	4	4	23	23	22	22	.....	28	28	.....	.....	2	30	30
10. Danville Circuit.....	102	87	900	821	18	12	102	84	98	60	.....	127	85	.....	22	.....	.....	.....
11. East Franklin.....	68	68	541	575	12	6	68	30	65	30	.....	85	38	.....	.....	2	20	20
12. East Halifax.....	77	77	740	740	13	10	77	65	74	65	.....	95	85	.....	.....	1	14	12
13. Ferrum.....	23	23	200	200	4	4	23	23	22	20	20	28	28	.....	250	.....	.....	.....
14. Franklin.....	57	57	451	451	9	9	51	51	49	49	.....	64	64	.....	3	1	15	22
15. Henry.....	68	68	600	645	12	8	68	48	65	46	.....	85	60	.....	55	1	13	21
16. Hyco.....	80	80	720	720	14	7	80	40	76	43	.....	99	49	.....	.....	3	25	45
17. Martinsville.....	114	114	1,000	1,000	19	19	114	114	109	109	.....	141	141	.....	146	2	52	175
18. North Patrick.....	21	21	210	215	4	4	21	21	20	20	.....	26	26	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19. Patrick.....	57	52	600	520	10	5	57	40	55	30	.....	71	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20. Pittsylvania.....	80	81	750	760	14	14	80	80	76	76	.....	99	99	.....	96	.....	.....	.....
21. Rocky Mount.....	114	114	1,000	1,100	19	19	114	114	109	109	.....	141	141	.....	69	3	119	194
22. South Boston.....	125	125	1,150	1,150	22	22	125	125	120	120	.....	155	155	.....	35	1	22	130
23. South Franklin.....	31	31	269	269	5	4	31	24	30	24	.....	39	31	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
24. South Halifax.....	82	82	848	900	14	14	82	82	79	79	.....	102	102	.....	132	2	41	36
25. Stuart and Wayside.....	80	80	900	900	14	10	80	60	76	57	.....	99	74	.....	22	1	48	101
26. West Franklin.....	23	23	250	250	4	4	23	23	22	22	.....	28	28	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
TOTALS FOR 1917....	2,326	2,307	21,736	21,925	413	366	2,400	2,170	2,296	1,905	2,797	2,974	2,707	1,650	3,494	27	757	3,443
TOTALS FOR 1916....	2,367	2,332	21,010	20,841	413	351	2,320	1,951	2,296	1,904	2,721	2,974	2,515	1,415	2,001	27	968	3,190
INCREASE.....			726	1,084		15	80	219		1	76		192	235	1,493			253
DECREASE.....	41	25															211	

DANVILLE DISTRICT—Concluded.

CHARGES	Church Extension			Education				Rosebud Missionary Society	Virginia Conference Orphanage	American Bible Society	General Conference Expenses	Annual Conference Expenses	Raised for all other Objects	Total Raised for all Purposes	Average per Member	Church Papers	
	On Assessment		Special	Educational Extension		Randolph- Macon College										Copies of General Organ Taken	Copies of Conference Organ Taken
	Ass'd	Paid		Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd										
1. Cascade.....	\$ 44	\$ 22	.....	\$ 17	\$ 9	\$ 23	\$ 13	.....	.....	.....	\$ 8	\$ 4	\$ 171	\$ 1,150	\$ 3 44	1	10
2. Chatham.....	81	81	.....	30	30	46	46	\$ 29	\$ 47	\$ 45	15	8	495	2,768	3 83	.....	25
3. Danville:																	
Cabell Street																	
Memorial.....	97	97	.....	36	36	55	55	.....	50	10	18	9	1,617	7,743	14 31	1	10
4. Calvary.....	97	97	.....	36	36	55	55	65	41	5	18	9	1,766	7,968	18 75	.....	6
5. Grace.....	44	44	.....	17	17	25	25	.....	.....	.....	8	4	273	1,665	6 91	.....	4
6. Main Street.....	242	242	.....	91	91	137	137	4	51	50	46	23	10,575	22,802	31 15	9	32
7. Mount Vernon.....	202	202	.....	76	76	114	114	100	92	10	38	19	3,762	13,224	23 48	3	25
8. Schoolfield.....	28	28	.....	11	4	16	5	1	.....	.....	1	1	120	1,768	13 25	3	.....
9. Sledd Memorial.....	16	16	.....	6	6	9	9	.....	6	.....	3	2	296	951	6 42	.....	.....
10. Danville Circuit.....	73	.....	.....	27	.....	41	30	.....	15	.....	.....	4	.....	1,859	2 81	2	9
11. East Franklin.....	48	21	.....	18	10	27	10	6	57	1	3	2	107	1,169	2 25	1	6
12. East Halifax.....	55	55	.....	20	10	31	22	.....	80	4	5	4	265	2,320	4 36	1	8
13. Ferrum.....	16	16	.....	6	6	9	9	1	23	.....	3	2	210	919	8 06	3	3
14. Franklin.....	36	36	.....	14	14	.....	.....	.....	62	.....	.....	.....	187	1,277	3 13	.....	19
15. Henry.....	48	34	.....	18	12	27	24	5	72	.....	7	3	205	1,563	3 27	.....	7
16. Hyco.....	56	28	.....	21	10	32	16	70	25	.....	5	2	550	2,270	4 10	.....	.....
17. Martinsville.....	81	31	.....	30	30	46	46	32	120	5	15	8	1,093	3,592	13 01	2	10
18. North Patrick.....	15	15	.....	6	6	8	8	.....	7	.....	3	1	760	1,198	3 44	.....	.....
19. Patrick.....	40	25	.....	15	10	23	7	.....	7	.....	8	4	102	917	1 73	.....	12
20. Pittsylvania.....	56	56	.....	21	21	32	32	6	81	5	11	5	314	1,953	3 12	1	10
21. Rocky Mount.....	81	81	.....	30	30	46	46	.....	207	7	15	8	1,045	4,385	15 12	6	14
22. South Boston.....	89	89	.....	33	33	50	50	6	17	4	17	8	2,428	4,957	11 93	1	15
23. South Franklin.....	22	18	.....	8	6	12	10	.....	1	.....	3	2	65	513	1 85	.....	.....
24. South Halifax.....	59	59	.....	22	22	33	33	1	46	10	11	6	217	2,096	3 74	4	12
25. Stuart and Wayside...	56	42	.....	21	20	32	24	.....	66	5	9	5	410	3,012	15 06	1	1
26. West Franklin.....	16	16	.....	6	6	9	9	.....	.....	.....	3	2	.....	459	1 60	.....	2
TOTALS FOR 1917....	1,698	1,501	.....	636	551	960	835	324	1,173	161	273	145	27,033	94,498	8 66	39	240
TOTALS FOR 1916....	1,698	1,344	.....	636	516	960	788	237	938	95	.....	140	20,096	83,148	7 84	41	310
INCREASE.....		157	.....		35		47	87	235	66	273	5	6,937	11,350	82		
DECREASE.....			.....													2	70

EASTERN SHORE DISTRICT—J. F. CAREY, Presiding Elder.

CHARGES	PASTORS	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Organized Churches.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value of Church Buildings.	Indebtedness on Church Buildings.	Number of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Parsonages.	Value of All Other Church Property.	Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Total Insurance Carried.	Premium Paid.	Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.
1. Accomac.....	J. C. Harry.....	1	10	2	5	299	7	2	2	2	\$ 6,000	.....	1	\$ 2,000	.....	.....	\$ 2,330	\$ 3,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Allen.....	C. C. Bell.....	.....	3	.....	9	341	.....	1	3	3	6,000	.....	1	1,500	.....	\$ 300	.....	3,600	\$ 15	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Andrew Chapel.....	W. H. Fletcher.....	.....	15	3	9	344	10	2	1	1	5,000	.....	1	3,300	\$ 700	.....	800	5,000	40	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. Atlantic.....	W. L. Murphy.....	.....	13	3	2	601	10	.....	4	4	8,750	.....	2	2,500	.....	.....	700	5,550	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5. Bloxom.....	G. W. Watkins.....	.....	32	.....	63	474	26	.....	3	3	15,000	\$ 7,000	1	3,000	.....	1,600	9,463	9,350	31	.....	.....	.....	.....
6. Broadwater & Bethel.....	L. C. Moore.....	.....	86	35	43	562	51	.....	2	2	6,500	.....	1	4,000	.....	.....	1,659	5,000	24	.....	.....	.....	.....
7. Broadwater Mission.....	H. L. Hastings.....	.....	9	.....	.....	53	6	.....	1	1	1,000	.....	1	600	.....	100	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8. Cambridge.....	H. W. Dunkley.....	.....	7	8	18	600	1	18	1	1	40,000	.....	1	4,000	.....	1,000	375	22,300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
9. Cambridge Circuit.....	C. A. Campbell.....	.....	26	8	131	219	8	22	4	4	6,500	.....	1	1,800	.....	250	240	4,500	38	.....	.....	.....	.....
10. Cape Charles.....	W. A. Wright.....	1	9	4	6	201	4	4	1	1	12,000	.....	1	3,700	2,700	.....	.....	9,000	40	.....	.....	.....	.....
11. Capeville.....	P. M. Hank.....	.....	3	3	11	469	.....	5	1	2	10,000	.....	1	6,500	900	.....	914	6,300	23	.....	.....	.....	.....
12. Cheriton.....	J. T. Sewell.....	.....	24	2	31	270	14	7	3	3	3,600	.....	1	3,000	.....	400	150	3,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
13. Craddockville and Belle Haven.....	E. F. Garner.....	.....	2	2	14	420	2	21	2	2	11,000	500	1	4,000	.....	.....	2,149	8,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
14. Dorchester.....	A. L. Stevenson.....	.....	7	.....	.....	164	.....	18	2	2	6,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15. Franktown and Johnson's.....	J. W. Gee.....	.....	26	16	9	608	13	.....	3	3	12,000	300	1	4,000	.....	800	1,929	8,800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
16. Keller.....	C. H. Kidd.....	.....	21	2	4	553	21	1	4	4	14,000	.....	1	2,500	232	.....	50	6,000	24	1	.....	\$ 25	.....
17. Onancock.....	H. P. Myers.....	.....	6	16	3	316	.....	4	1	1	9,500	.....	1	4,000	2,000	350	2,953	7,500	90	.....	.....	.....	.....
18. Onley, Locustville and Melfa.....	C. H. Williams.....	.....	17	11	24	605	6	3	3	3	26,500	6,500	1	2,500	.....	500	1,094	13,500	84	.....	.....	.....	.....
19. Pocomoke.....	D. W. Jackson.....	1	21	5	34	642	15	29	4	4	11,000	24	1	1,200	.....	400	267	5,320	18	.....	.....	.....	.....
20. Pungoteague.....	W. G. Burch.....	.....	27	16	12	556	10	2	3	3	8,000	.....	1	2,000	115	.....	25	4,200	21	.....	.....	.....	.....
21. Salisbury.....	{ H. W. Davis..... } { W. J. Twilley..... }	3	40	8	8	574	8	16	3	3	72,000	700	1	8,000	375	5,000	3,725	22,500	66	1	.....	90	\$ 90
22. South Dorchester.....	W. H. Hantzmon.....	.....	53	.....	6	346	.....	18	4	4	6,500	.....	1	1,800	.....	400	550	4,200	12	.....	.....	.....	.....
23. St. Martin's.....	W. S. Brown.....	1	3	.....	38	372	3	20	4	4	6,600	.....	1	1,500	.....	400	550	4,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
24. Wachapreague and Smith's Chapel.....	R. L. Busby.....	.....	2	.....	9	345	4	1	2	2	8,000	.....	1	1,500	.....	600	350	4,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
TOTALS FOR 1917.....		7	462	136	489	9,934	219	192	61	62	311,450	15,024	24	68,900	7,022	12,600	29,923	166,020	535	2	.....	115	90
TOTALS FOR 1916.....		9	916	268	915	9,972	377	256	60	62	292,300	12,500	22	67,400	13,236	11,950	21,863	186,470	798	.....	.....	.....	.....
INCREASE.....		1	19,150	2,524	2	1,500	650	8,060
DECREASE.....		2	454	132	426	38	158	64	6,214	20,450	263

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CHARGES	Number of Epworth Leagues	Epworth League Members	Raised by Leagues for Missions (on Assessment)	Raised by Leagues for Missions (Special)	Collection League Anniversary Day	Raised by Leagues for Other Objects	Total Raised by Leagues	Number of Sunday Schools	Number Officers and Teachers	Enrollment in All Departments	Members in Home Department	Children on Cradle Roll	Number of Training Classes	Number of Wesley Bible Classes	Papils Joining Church During the Year	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (on Assessment)	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (Special)	Raised on Children's Day	Raised for Sunday School Supplies	Raised by Sunday Schools for Other Objects	Total Raised by Sunday Schools
1. Accomac.....								2	27	322		34				\$ 65	\$ 25			\$ 228	\$ 318
2. Allen.....								4	40	300		30	2	4	40	77		\$ 9	\$ 90	109	285
3. Andrew Chapel.....								1	15	379		24	4	4	17		220	12	100	300	632
4. Atlantic.....								4	70	500	10	30	1	8	7		125	13	200	100	438
5. Bloxom.....	1	20				\$ 15	\$ 15	3	34	442		40		4	15			10	264	51	325
6. Broadwater & Bethel.....								2	32	562	48	42	1	4	64		90	6	141	375	612
7. Broadwater Mission.....								1	10	118				1	9	26		3	11	32	72
8. Cambridge.....								1	25	896		65	1	3	4	75	23	10	255	399	762
9. Cambridge Circuit.....								4	32	251		22	2	6	16	48		8	150	28	234
10. Cape Charles.....								1	17	268		15		2	4		280	16	95	119	510
11. Capeville.....								2	33	349				2	3		125	10	217	58	410
12. Cheriton.....								2	22	224				2	18		100		125	100	325
13. Craddockville and Belle Haven.....								2	43	463	26	89	2	6	2		123	15	253	74	465
14. Dorchester.....								2	38	325		38		4		35		7	60	185	286
15. Franktown and Johnson's.....								3	53	575		70		2	19		75	4	289	15	383
16. Keller.....								4	45	368		20		3	16		68	12	111	124	315
17. Onancock.....	1	91		\$ 15		10	25	1	26	306	10	23	1	5	16		324	15	109	493	941
18. Onley, Locustville and Melfa.....	2	200				10	10	3	50	650		60		9	15		200	20	474	75	769
19. Pocomoke.....								4	75	885	14	127	1	12	4	115	5	21	201	73	415
20. Pungoteague.....	1	23				3	3	3	56	544	44	74	2	12	24		50	15	192		257
21. Salisbury.....	2	134		25		23	48	3	57	638		50	1	7	23	250		9	200	374	833
22. South Dorchester.....								4	42	390				5	35	100		15	85	55	255
23. St. Martin's.....	2	120						3	38	434					3		211	8		300	519
24. Wachapreague and Smith's Chapel.....								2	25	339	32	44		5	2		64	11	218		293
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	9	588		40		61	101	61	905	10,528	184	897	14	110	356	791	2,108	249	3,840	3,667	10,654
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	6	465	\$ 3			173	176	60	926	10,334	185	769	12	87	481	1,289	955	313	4,140	3,583	10,280
INCREASE.....	3	123		40				1		194		128	2	23	125	498	1,153	64		84	374
DECREASE.....			3			112	75		21		1								300		

EASTERN SHORE DISTRICT—Continued.

CHARGES	Salary of Presiding Elder, Excluding Parsonage		Salary of Pastor, Excluding Parsonage		Bishops' Fund		Conference Claimants and Superannuate Endowment Fund		Foreign Missions			Home and Conference Missions				Woman's Work		
									On Assessment		Special	On Assessment		Home Missions (Special)	Conf. Missions (Special: Ferrum School)	Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Members	Amount Collected
	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Paid			
1. Accomac.....	\$ 124	\$ 124	\$ 1,100	1,100	\$ 20	\$ 20	\$ 118	\$ 118	\$ 113	\$ 48	.....	\$ 146	\$ 146	.....	.....	2	.....	\$ 111
2. Allen.....	101	101	900	908	17	17	96	96	92	92	.....	119	119	.....	.....	1	37	181
3. Andrew Chapel.....	124	124	1,000	1,000	20	20	118	118	113	113	.....	146	146	.....	\$ 19	3	87	152
4. Atlantic.....	146	146	1,400	1,400	24	24	138	138	133	133	\$ 225	172	172	.....	125	6	65	154
5. Bloxom.....	118	118	1,200	1,400	19	19	112	112	107	107	.....	139	139	.....	.....	2	38	78
6. Broadwater & Bethel.	118	118	1,200	1,200	19	19	112	112	107	107	110	139	139	.....	81	1	28	65
7. Broadwater Mission...	28	28	300	357	5	5	27	27	25	25	25	33	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8. Cambridge.....	178	178	1,400	1,400	28	28	160	160	153	78	100	198	198	.....	73	2	43	135
9. Cambridge Circuit....	118	118	1,000	1,007	15	15	101	101	91	91	.....	109	109	.....	31	2	20	35
10. Cape Charles.....	101	101	1,000	1,000	17	17	96	96	92	92	.....	119	119	.....	41	1	45	120
11. Capeville.....	178	178	1,500	1,500	28	28	160	160	153	153	1,000	198	198	.....	275	1	100	466
12. Cheriton.....	101	101	1,000	1,242	17	17	96	96	92	92	.....	119	119	.....	42	4	104	196
13. Craddockville and Belle Haven.....	146	146	1,400	1,400	24	24	138	138	133	133	.....	172	172	.....	131	5	150	609
14. Dorchester.....	60	60	600	600	10	10	58	58	56	56	.....	73	73	.....	.....	1	14	10
15. Franktown and John- son's.....	157	157	1,500	1,500	26	26	149	188	143	143	1,000	185	185	.....	372	3	251	773
16. Keller.....	146	146	1,400	1,400	24	24	138	138	132	132	205	172	172	.....	85	4	87	288
17. Onancock.....	146	146	1,400	1,400	24	24	138	138	133	133	128	172	172	.....	208	2	86	282
18. Olney, Locustville and Melfa.....	178	178	1,503	1,503	28	28	160	160	153	153	45	198	198	.....	86	7	246	516
19. Pocomoke.....	124	124	1,200	1,200	20	20	118	118	113	113	.....	146	146	.....	5	2	49	53
20. Pungoteague.....	135	135	1,150	1,150	22	22	128	128	122	122	10	158	158	.....	50	3	50	175
21. Salisbury.....	241	241	2,250	2,250	40	40	229	229	219	.....	1,117	284	253	.....	20	4	119	440
22. South Dorchester.....	62	62	655	655	10	10	59	59	56	56	.....	73	73	.....	.....	.....	.....	25
23. St. Martin's.....	101	101	1,000	1,002	17	17	96	96	92	.....	.....	119	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
24. Wachapreague and Smith's Chapel.....	101	101	900	900	17	17	96	96	92	92	75	119	119	\$ 34	.....	3	148	256
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	3,032	3,032	27,958	28,474	492	491	2,850	2,880	2,727	2,264	4,040	3,532	3,358	34	1,644	59	1,747	5,120
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	3,003	2,999	24,612	24,984	492	425	2,755	2,354	2,727	1,652	1,182	3,532	2,681	286	59	1,707	5,147
INCREASE.....	29	33	3,346	3,490	66	95	526	612	2,858	677	34	1,358	40	27
DECREASE.....

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CHARGES	Church Extension			Education				Rosebud Missionary Society	Virginia Conference Orphanage	American Bible Society	General Conference Expenses	Annual Conference Expenses	Raised for all other Objects	Total Raised for all Purposes	Average per Member	Church Paper	
	On Assessment		Special	Educational Extension		Randolph- Macon College										Copies of General Organ Taken	Copies of Conference Organ Taken
	Ass'd	Paid		Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd										
1. Accomac.....	\$ 83	\$ 83	.....	\$ 31	\$ 31	\$ 47	\$ 47	\$ 24	\$ 172	\$ 7	\$ 16	\$ 8	\$ 3,600	\$ 8,303	\$ 27 76	1	20
2. Allen.....	68	68	.....	25	25	38	38	.....	10	.....	13	6	251	2,225	6 52	1	6
3. Andrew Chapel.....	80	80	.....	31	31	47	47	1	50	5	16	8	375	3,877	11 27	1	15
4. Atlantic.....	98	98	.....	37	37	50	50	67	182	10	18	9	400	4,526	7 53	1	25
5. Bloxom.....	79	79	.....	30	30	45	45	10	28	3	15	7	504	12,528	26 43	1	19
6. Broadwater & Bethel.	79	79	.....	30	30	45	45	.....	291	.....	15	7	511	5,224	9 29	1	20
7. Broadwater Mission...	19	19	.....	7	7	11	11	.....	5	2	2	2	174	894	16 86	.....	1
8. Cambridge.....	113	113	.....	42	42	64	64	17	53	6	21	11	1,571	5,385	8 97	1	25
9. Cambridge Circuit....	61	61	.....	19	19	25	25	.....	39	3	7	7	175	2,355	10 75	1	18
10. Cape Charles.....	68	68	.....	25	25	38	38	.....	110	5	13	6	379	2,780	13 83	3	9
11. Capeville.....	113	113	.....	42	42	64	64	29	163	10	21	11	581	6,348	13 53	1	28
12. Cheriton.....	68	68	.....	25	25	38	38	35	103	.....	13	6	577	3,244	12 01	1	12
13. Craddockville and Belle Haven.....	98	98	.....	37	37	59	59	60	352	15	18	9	831	6,846	16 30	1	30
14. Dorchester.....	41	41	.....	15	15	23	23	15	2	.....	8	4	100	1,462	8 91	1	3
15. Franktown and John- son's.....	106	106	.....	40	40	60	60	77	568	10	20	10	1,545	9,092	14 95	3	53
16. Keller.....	98	98	.....	37	37	59	59	32	163	2	18	9	1,000	4,397	7 95	1	10
17. Onancock.....	98	98	.....	37	37	59	59	10	246	20	18	9	577	7,714	24 41	1	19
18. Onley, Locustville and Melfa.....	113	113	.....	42	42	64	64	.....	192	38	21	11	909	6,214	10 27	1	15
19. Pocomoke.....	83	83	.....	31	31	47	47	76	43	7	16	8	1,745	4,535	7 06	1	25
20. Pungoteague.....	90	90	.....	33	33	51	51	26	130	30	17	9	903	3,545	6 35	.....	15
21. Salisbury.....	162	162	.....	61	61	92	92	.....	57	6	31	15	787	10,473	18 07	5	14
22. South Dorchester....	41	41	.....	16	16	23	23	.....	.....	.....	8	4	975	2,799	8 08	1	2
23. St. Martin's.....	68	68	.....	25	25	38	38	6	1	2	13	6	260	2,179	5 85	.....	6
24. Wachapreague and Smith's Chapel.....	68	68	.....	25	25	38	38	3	80	5	13	6	594	3,165	9 17	1	20
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	2,016	1,995	.....	756	743	1,140	1,125	489	3,040	186	371	188	19,324	120,110	12 09	29	410
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	2,016	1,723	756	614	1,140	934	466	2,502	79	1	154	18,669	99,839	10 01	26	414
INCREASE.....	272	129	191	23	538	107	370	34	655	20,271	2 08	3
DECREASE.....	4

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CHARGES	Number of Epworth Leagues	Epworth League Members	Raised by Leagues for Missions (on Assessment)	Raised by Leagues for Missions (Special)	Collection League Anniversary Day	Raised by Leagues for Other Objects	Total Raised by Leagues	Number of Sunday Schools	Number Officers and Teachers	Enrollment in All Departments	Members in Home Department	Children on Cradle Roll	Number of Training Classes	Number of Wesley Bible Classes	Pupils Joining Church During the Year	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (on Assessment)	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (Special)	Raised on Children's Day	Raised for Sunday School Supplies	Raised by Sunday Schools for Other Objects	Total Raised by Sunday Schools
1. Amelia.....	1	16		\$ 2			\$ 2	5		41					17		\$ 68	\$ 14	\$ 140		\$ 222
2. Blackstone.....	1	25						2		48					20		88	20	138	\$ 159	405
3. Boynton.....								1		12					15		50	7	71		128
4. Buckingham.....								6		60					4		20	7	100	40	167
5. Burkeville.....								4		40	17				14		19	12	185		216
6. Cartersville.....								4		33					3		22	5	93	30	150
7. Charlotte.....								4		25					6	11	10	18	78	265	382
8. Chase City.....	1	52		10		\$ 20	30	1		26					3		42	14	122	115	293
9. Clarksville.....								1		12	24				2		16	7	58		81
10. Crewe.....								1		26		26		2	15		55	5	174	34	268
11. Cumberland.....	1	20						8		70										135	135
12. East Nottoway.....								6		61	14				12		60	35	112		207
13. Farmville.....								1		29				1	6		200	16	285	103	604
14. Kenbridge.....								2		16				1	5		25	18	113		156
15. Lunenburg.....								5		50					25		18	32	187	35	272
16. North Mecklenburg.....	1	24				3	3	4		40	49		1	3	33		180	21	155	129	485
17. Nottoway.....								5		35	27	82	2	5	10	10		16	112	57	195
18. Powhatan.....	1	27	5			20	25	4		36	11	13			10	10			58	40	108
19. Prince Edward.....								5		36				1	5			9	79		96
20. Prospect.....								3		23					4		47	8	102		157
21. South Charlotte.....								4		35					2		40		140		180
22. Trinity.....								7		50						17			145		162
23. Victoria.....								3		15		37			2	28		5	77	15	125
24. West Buckingham.....								6		27	30	20			30	27		15	90		132
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	6	164	5	12		43	60	92	846	7,373	172	361	6	18	243	111	960	284	2,814	1,157	5,326
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	5	145		25		44	99	92	801	7,156	163	304	9	10	360	67	745	290	2,441	1,357	4,930
INCREASE.....	1	19	5						45	217	9	57		8		44	215		373		396
DECREASE.....				13		1	39						3		117			6		200	

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CHARGES	Salary of Presiding Elder, Excluding Parsonage		Salary of Pastor, Excluding Parsonage		Bishops' Fund		Conference Claimants and Superannuate Endowment Fund		Foreign Missions			Home and Conference Missions				Woman's Work		
									On Assessment		Special	On Assessment		Home Missions (Special)	Conf. Missions (Special: Ferrum School)	Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Members	Amount Collected
	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Paid			
1. Amelia.....	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 1,100	\$ 1,117	\$ 20	\$ 14	\$ 112	\$ 79	\$ 103	\$ 77	.....	\$ 140	\$ 99	.....	.....	1	18	\$ 45
2. Blackstone.....	150	150	1,600	1,600	29	29	168	168	166	166	\$ 1,300	210	210	.....	\$ 145	1	136	859
3. Boydton.....	90	90	900	900	18	18	102	102	99	99	100	127	127	.....	88	2	40	141
4. Buckingham.....	101	101	1,125	1,125	20	20	112	67	108	100	.....	140	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5. Burkeville.....	94	94	940	963	19	9	105	50	100	53	.....	130	62	.....	44	1	13	66
6. Cartersville.....	85	85	850	808	16	16	94	94	90	90	.....	117	117	.....	41	1	16	103
7. Charlotte.....	75	75	850	850	14	14	82	60	78	78	.....	102	50	.....	28	1	30	83
8. Chase City.....	120	120	1,200	1,200	24	24	138	138	133	133	500	172	172	.....	56	1	31	286
9. Clarksville.....	50	50	700	700	10	10	56	56	54	54	100	70	70	.....	30	1	143	132
10. Crewe.....	120	120	1,500	1,500	24	24	138	138	133	133	102	172	172	.....	65	2	60	95
11. Cumberland.....	112	112	1,223	1,223	22	15	125	90	122	90	.....	155	108	.....	.....	1	17	15
12. East Nottoway.....	100	100	1,058	1,064	20	20	112	112	108	108	.....	140	140	.....	.....	2	172	900
13. Farmville.....	200	200	2,000	2,000	39	39	244	244	208	208	702	278	278	.....	60	1	19	30
14. Kenbridge.....	94	94	1,000	1,000	19	8	105	60	100	53	.....	130	70	.....	.....	1	35	102
15. Lunenburg.....	100	100	1,100	1,100	20	20	112	112	108	108	77	140	140	.....	1	1	26	27
16. North Mecklenburg...	110	110	1,200	1,200	21	21	122	122	119	119	150	153	153	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
17. Nottoway.....	56	56	544	555	11	6	61	31	59	59	.....	76	48	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18. Powhatan.....	47	47	470	470	9	4	56	28	49	10	.....	63	32	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19. Prince Edward.....	86	81	860	803	16	10	94	55	90	50	61	117	65	.....	.....	3	62	124
20. Prospect.....	110	110	1,200	1,200	21	21	122	122	119	119	232	153	153	.....	.....	1	35	90
21. South Charlotte.....	70	70	700	700	13	5	77	20	73	25	.....	95	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
22. Trinity.....	80	80	900	921	15	15	89	89	85	68	.....	111	111	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
23. Victoria.....	65	65	650	650	12	3	71	10	70	31	.....	88	25	.....	7	1	10	30
24. West Buckingham....	60	60	650	650	11	2	66	25	63	30	103	82	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
TOTALS FOR 1917....	2,275	2,270	24,320	24,299	439	367	2,550	2,072	2,440	2,061	3,580	3,160	2,562	.....	565	23	863	3,140
TOTALS FOR 1916....	2,228	2,215	22,769	22,905	439	346	2,465	1,923	2,440	1,934	2,254	3,160	2,385	949	26	819	2,977
INCREASE.....	47	55	1,551	1,394	21	85	149	127	1,326	177	44	163
DECREASE.....	384	3

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CHARGES	Church Extension			Education				Rosebud Missionary Society	Virginia Conference Orphanage	American Bible Society	General Conference Expenses	Annual Conference Expenses	Raised for all other Objects	Total Raised for all Purposes	Average per Member	Church Papers	
	On Assessment		Special	Educational Extension		Randolph- Macon College										Copies of General Organ Taken	Copies of Conference Organ Taken
	Ass'd	Paid		Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd										
1. Amelia	\$ 79	\$ 56	.....	\$ 30	\$ 21	\$ 45	\$ 32	\$ 33	\$ 30	\$ 60	\$ 10	\$ 4	\$ 312	\$ 2,316	\$ 4 72	2	30
2. Blackstone.....	119	119	.....	45	45	67	67	20	168	75	22	11	866	6,542	11 95	3	83
3. Boydton.....	72	72	.....	27	27	41	41	47	140	50	14	7	435	2,769	24 50	1	14
4. Buckingham.....	79	50	.....	30	18	45	20	10	17	10	6	8	691	3,551	8 07	4	25
5. Burkeville.....	75	36	.....	28	13	42	20	34	85	33	6	4	422	2,643	8 69	.....	.....
6. Cartersville.....	68	68	.....	25	25	38	38	36	56	20	13	7	306	2,298	6 90	1	24
7. Charlotte.....	59	15	.....	22	.....	33	2	29	15	10	5	6	150	2,680	8 64	.....	.....
8. Chase City.....	98	98	.....	37	37	55	55	14	115	63	18	9	756	4,249	12 72	3	26
9. Clarksville.....	40	40	.....	15	15	22	22	37	17	7	7	4	742	2,479	18 90	15	4
10. Crewe.....	98	98	.....	37	37	55	55	.....	259	30	18	9	658	7,247	18 77	2	15
11. Cumberland.....	88	58	.....	33	23	50	35	9	.....	30	17	8	271	2,435	3 72	.....	.....
12. East Nottoway.....	80	57	.....	30	20	45	30	19	96	45	16	7	376	2,842	5 64	1	24
13. Farmville.....	160	160	.....	59	59	90	90	8	154	70	30	15	3,601	9,948	23 43	8	41
14. Kenbridge.....	75	38	.....	28	12	42	20	67	109	2	8	7	717	3,675	15 18	1	12
15. Lunenburg.....	80	80	.....	30	30	45	45	12	57	43	15	8	207	2,565	4 32	1	30
16. North Mecklenburg...	87	87	.....	32	32	49	49	49	99	54	16	8	470	3,434	7 40	1	40
17. Nottoway.....	43	25	.....	16	8	24	12	18	41	10	4	2	62	1,137	3 72	1	7
18. Powhatan.....	36	18	.....	14	7	20	10	14	10	10	4	2	100	2,099	7 57	2	12
19. Prince Edward.....	68	42	.....	25	10	38	22	82	49	38	13	5	267	1,998	2 98	.....	35
20. Prospect.....	87	87	.....	32	32	49	49	48	195	21	16	8	279	3,064	5 08	1	15
21. South Charlotte.....	55	10	.....	20	5	31	8	.....	10	16	5	2	.....	1,087	2 24	1	4
22. Trinity.....	63	30	.....	24	10	36	17	63	78	5	12	6	280	2,042	3 73	.....	.....
23. Victoria.....	51	10	.....	19	2	29	5	3	8	2	4	5	325	2,023	9 77	.....	.....
24. West Buckingham....	47	23	.....	18	4	27	14	60	10	5	1	1	200	1,363	3 30	1	11
TOTALS FOR 1917....	1,804	1,377	.....	676	492	1,020	758	711	1,818	709	280	153	12,418	76,486	7 83	49	452
TOTALS FOR 1916....	1,804	1,292	30	676	473	1,020	705	590	1,451	291	.....	127	14,867	72,029	7 36	42	596
INCREASE.....	.....	85	.....	.....	19	.....	53	121	367	418	280	26	.....	4,457	47	7	.....
DECREASE.....	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,449	.....	.....	.....	144

CHARGES	PASTORS	Local Preachers	Additions on Profession of Faith	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise	Removals by Death and Otherwise	Present Total Membership	Adults Baptized	Infants Baptized	Organized Churches	Number of Church Buildings	Value of Church Buildings	Indebtedness on Church Buildings	Number of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Indebtedness on Parsonages	Value of All Other Church Property	Expended for Churches and Parsonages	Total Insurance Carried	Premium Paid	Churches Damaged or Destroyed	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed	Amount of Damage	Loss Collected
1. Alta Vista.....	H. A. Glauss.....		9	9	6	123	7	....	1	1	\$ 13,000	\$ 3,500					\$ 38	\$ 4,000	\$ 44				
2. Appomattox.....	L. F. Callahan.....		45	20	6	330	25	....	1	1	3,000						65	1,500					
3. Appomattox Circuit.....	A. S. J. Rice.....		11	16	10	442	9	....	4	4	5,000						59						
4. Bedford City.....	C. E. Blankenship.....		33	25	14	344	29	1	1	1	15,500		1	\$ 2,500				7,300					
5. Bedford Circuit.....	Porter Hardy.....	1	3	2	15	340	3	5	4	4	5,000		1	2,000			500	3,000					
6. Bedford Springs.....	J. W. Lillaston.....		4	....	9	415	2	1	5	5	7,000		1	3,000	\$ 400	\$ 600	225	4,200	5				
7. Brookneal.....	W. C. Harris.....		17	....	10	400	15	....	4	4	8,000		1	2,000		500	350	1,600					
8. Campbell.....	W. L. Jones.....	1	7	73	298	676	7	....	7	7	6,800		1	3,000	625		100	6,000					
9. Central Bedford.....	L. C. Shearer.....		3	....	2	465	3	....	5	4	6,000		1	2,500		500		4,000					
10. Concord.....	C. R. James.....		11	8	41	781	9	1	6	6	12,050		1	2,000		500	92	9,700					
11. Elba.....	Z. V. Johnston.....		11	2	6	451	11	1	4	4	15,000		1	1,500			75			1		50	9
12. Gladys.....	A. W. Roten.....		34	7	13	500	4	1	4	4	10,000					350							
13. Halifax.....	S. H. Johnson.....	1	2	1	36	410	2	5	4	4	8,000		1	1,500			36	4,200	48				
Lynchburg:																							
14. Centenary.....	R. P. Lumpkin.....		43	45	31	613	32	2	1	1	30,000		1	5,000		3,000		20,000	23				
15. Court Street.....	G. E. Booker.....	1	60	50	35	1,221	19	6	1	1	100,000		2	14,500	1,167		4,926	70,000	153				
16. Memorial.....	F. L. Wells.....		14	22	46	703	6	10	1	1	38,000		1	7,000		3,000	6,782	31,800	20				
17. Rivermont Avenue.....	J. C. Robertson.....		25	74	52	574	20	3	1	1	19,000		1	4,200		1,500	750	11,000	40				
18. Trinity.....	J. L. Finch.....	1	42	30	32	441	28	2	1	1	5,000		1	4,000	2,100		200	5,000	23				
19. West End.....	John Hannon.....		29	7	12	268	2	18	1	1	6,000		1	4,000	500	200	162	6,200					
20. Madison Heights.....	J. W. Eure.....		63	26	20	377	28	14	1	1	7,400		1	4,000			709	6,500	64				
21. Middle Bedford.....	P. H. Clements.....		29	1	3	436	19	....	6	6	7,000		1	1,200		300		1,800					
22. Montvale.....	L. R. Black.....		39	13	10	416	39	1	4	4	8,000		1	3,000			3,407	3,550	9				
23. North Bedford.....	W. A. McAllister.....		100	22	12	437	90	4	6	5	6,000		1	1,500	520	250	821	1,500	25				
24. North Pittsylvania.....	W. L. Mays.....		26	2	25	453	23	....	6	5	5,500		1	1,200		350	400						
25. Pamplin.....	A. K. Lambdin.....	1	20	8	3	829	20	3	7	7	9,000	250				500	100	3,000	25				
26. South Bedford.....	R. V. Harlow.....	1	2	1	118	468	....	....	5	5	5,000		1	2,000	800		346	1,000					
27. South View and Fairview.....	P. F. Arthur.....	1	40	11	4	245	40	1	2	2	35,000					800	435	1,750					
28. West Bedford.....	T. M. De Shazo.....		5	1	4	594	4	....	6	6	6,000		1	2,500	160	300	377	1,500					
29. West Campbell.....	W. C. Pace.....	1	11	6	78	547	8	....	5	5	7,000		1	950		450	17	3,550	2				
TOTALS FOR 1917.....		9	738	485	951	14,299	504	79	104	101	408,250	3,750	24	75,000	6,272	13,100	20,972	213,650	485	1		50	9
TOTALS FOR 1916.....		10	687	487	1,087	13,888	559	64	104	101	369,650	4,647	22	72,050	5,240	15,400	15,616	209,750	429	1			
INCREASE.....			51			411		15			38,600		2	2,950	1,032		5,356	3,000	56			50	9
DECREASE.....		1		2	136		55					897				2,300							

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CHARGES	Number of Epworth Leagues	Epworth League Members	Raised by Leagues for Missions (on Assessment)	Raised by Leagues for Missions (Special)	Collection League Anniversary Day	Raised by Leagues for Other Objects	Total Raised by Leagues	Number of Sunday Schools	Number Officers and Teachers	Enrollment in All Departments	Members in Home Department	Children on Cradle Roll	Number of Training Classes	Number of Wesley Bible Classes	Pupils Joining Church During the Year	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (on Assessment)	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (Special)	Raised on Children's Day	Raised for Sunday School Supplies	Raised by Sunday Schools for Other Objects	Total Raised by Sunday Schools
1. Alta Vista.....	1	50				\$ 22	\$ 22	1	12	145	17	9	1	2	9	\$ 35		\$ 7	\$ 118		\$ 160
2. Appomattox.....	1	56				20	20	1	14	200	15	15			25			5	77		160
3. Appomattox Circuit.....								4	41	323				4	8	3		12	42		45
4. Bedford City.....	1	50						2	35	632	92	33			36		193	165	\$ 100	470	
5. Bedford Circuit.....								4	36	310	23	44	1			27	60	15	130	65	297
6. Bedford Springs.....								5	40	400	28	40					25	16	85	50	176
7. Brookneal.....								4	36	300	30	35			1	15					15
8. Campbell.....								5	40	303						10		33		99	142
9. Central Bedford.....								4	40	385							14	40		50	104
10. Concord.....	1	51				16	16	6	57	417	10	12			6	43	63	127		233	
11. Elba.....								4	25	275		9		3	11			60		60	
12. Gladys.....								4	23	385	45				17		31	99	32	179	
13. Halifax.....	1	43		\$ 6		19	25	4	30	306		30		1	2			29	74	86	189
Lynchburg:																					
14. Centenary.....								1	36	447	75	73		2	27		170	9	253	25	457
15. Court Street.....	1	55						1	64	1,108	191	14	1		50		314	46	518	659	1,537
16. Memorial.....	2	80		15		115	130	1	76	786	45	35		2	16	200	200	23	294	247	964
17. Rivermont Avenue..	1	50				40	40	1	46	531	50	50	2	2	18		265	21	250	432	968
18. Trinity.....	2	160				10	10	1	18	448	25	33			36		50	3	124	175	352
19. West End.....								1	17	286					27		8	3	65	78	154
20. Madison Heights.....								1	22	317	40	37	1	4	38	63		6	76	119	264
21. Middle Bedford.....	2	50						6	45	485					19	15		4	45	25	89
22. Montvale.....	2	76	\$ 33	10	\$ 1	20	64	4	43	315	23	32		6	30		30	12	197	194	427
23. North Bedford.....								5	35	329					80				76	139	215
24. North Pittsylvania....								5	40	375			1	1		3	6	6	40	3	58
25. Pamplin.....								7	40	400					15		55	22	100	270	447
26. South Bedford.....								6	32	348									64		64
27. South View and Fairview.....								2	25	414					5	85		6	82	277	450
28. West Bedford.....	1	40						6	37	500			1	2	5			12	90		102
29. West Campbell.....								5	49	343	32	62			6		16	18	107	35	176
TOTALS FOR 1917....	16	761	33	31	1	262	327	102	1,054	11,813	741	563	8	29	487	499	1,501	402	3,398	3,160	8,954
TOTALS FOR 1916....	9	426	5		5	70	80	108	1,080	12,022	724	524	6	31	398	265	1,357	329	3,059	2,529	7,539
INCREASE.....	7	335	28	31		192	247				17	39	2		89	234	144	73	339	631	1,415
DECREASE.....					4			6	26	209				2							

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									On Assessment		Special	On Assessment		Home Missions (Special)	Conf. Missions (Special: Ferrum School)	Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Members	Amount Collected
	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Paid			
1. Alta Vista.....	\$ 33	\$ 33	\$ 450	\$ 450	\$ 7	\$ 5	\$ 45	\$ 9	\$ 42	\$ 7	.....	\$ 54	\$ 9	.....	.....	.....	28	\$ 183
2. Appomattox.....	46	46	700	710	10	10	58	58	56	56	.....	72	72	.....	\$ 27	1	.....	.....
3. Appomattox Circuit ..	61	61	800	800	13	13	78	78	75	75	.....	96	96	.....	27	.....	.....	.....
4. Bedford City.....	135	135	1,200	1,275	31	31	173	173	164	164	.....	215	215	.....	356	3	92	195
5. Bedford Circuit.....	51	51	800	800	11	5	64	64	61	35	.....	79	79	.....	.....	3	84	80
6. Bedford Springs.....	61	56	800	750	13	6	78	33	75	37	.....	96	45	.....	.....	3	30	130
7. Brookneal.....	61	61	800	840	13	13	78	50	75	50	.....	96	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8. Campbell.....	63	63	872	872	14	9	81	52	77	58	.....	100	64	.....	34	.....	.....	.....
9. Central Bedford.....	57	53	800	757	12	12	72	55	69	45	.....	89	55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10. Concord.....	99	94	1,100	1,049	23	22	127	121	121	115	.....	157	149	.....	1	1	.....	29
11. Elba.....	46	46	600	600	9	9	58	50	56	45	.....	72	65	.....	17	.....	.....	.....
12. Gladys.....	43	43	757	757	9	9	55	55	53	53	.....	68	68	.....	6	2	52	106
13. Halifax.....	75	76	825	841	17	17	95	96	91	92	.....	117	118	.....	18	2	29	40
Lynchburg:																		
14. Centenary.....	143	143	1,400	1,400	32	20	182	130	173	173	.....	226	226	.....	50	1	66	151
15. Court Street.....	350	350	3,000	3,000	78	78	450	580	431	431	\$ 8,467	560	560	.....	1,500	2	205	944
16. Memorial.....	201	201	2,000	2,000	45	45	259	259	246	246	3,867	319	319	.....	1,368	2	93	667
17. Rivermont Avenue..	168	168	1,650	1,700	38	38	214	214	204	204	.....	266	266	.....	70	3	100	272
18. Trinity.....	21	21	800	800	9	9	52	52	49	49	.....	65	65	.....	25	2	92	82
19. West End.....	35	35	700	700	7	7	43	43	42	42	.....	54	54	.....	53	1	20	8
20. Madison Heights.....	46	46	720	720	10	10	58	58	55	.....	.....	72	72	.....	.....	1	50	39
21. Middle Bedford.....	38	38	502	550	9	4	49	30	47	30	.....	61	34	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
22. Montvale.....	50	50	750	750	11	11	63	63	61	61	67	79	79	.....	97	4	65	159
23. North Bedford.....	43	43	577	592	9	9	56	56	53	53	.....	68	68	.....	.....	2	30	5
24. North Pittsylvania...	31	31	500	500	7	7	40	40	39	39	.....	50	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25. Pamplin.....	66	66	1,034	1,040	14	14	84	84	80	80	.....	103	103	.....	50	1	11	12
26. South Bedford.....	29	29	435	435	7	7	30	30	35	35	.....	40	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
27. South View and Fairview.....	31	31	800	800	7	7	41	41	39	39	.....	51	51	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
28. West Bedford.....	66	54	834	700	14	3	83	23	78	25	.....	104	30	.....	.....	2	23	25
29. West Campbell.....	61	61	700	706	13	5	78	34	75	32	.....	96	42	.....	5	1	21	12
TOTALS FOR 1917....	\$2,210	\$2,185	\$26,920	\$26,894	\$ 492	\$ 435	\$2,850	\$2,636	\$2,727	\$2,371	\$12,401	\$3,532	\$3,154	.....	\$3,704	\$37	\$1,091	\$3,139
TOTALS FOR 1916....	2,232	2,193	25,228	24,988	492	401	2,755	2,254	2,727	2,010	3,390	3,532	2,747	\$ 17	3,393	40	1,264	3,550
INCREASE.....			\$ 1,692	\$ 1,906	.....	\$ 34	\$ 95	\$ 382	.....	\$ 361	\$ 9,011	.....	\$ 407	.....	\$ 311	.....	.....	.....
DECREASE.....	\$ 22	\$ 8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ 17	.....	\$ 3	\$ 173	\$ 411

NORFOLK DISTRICT—GEORGE WESLEY JONES, Presiding Elder.

CHARGES	PASTORS	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Organized Churches.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value of Church Buildings.	Indebtedness on Church Buildings.	Number of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Parsonages.	Value of All Other Church Property.	Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Total Insurance Carried.	Premium Paid.	Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.
1. Denby and Fairmount	J. T. Moore.....		8	12	4	236	8	3	2	3	\$7,000		1	\$2,500		\$7,000	\$1,200	\$3,000	\$ 25				
2. East York.....	W. W. Royall.....		13		10	1,087		22	2	2	8,000		1	2,500		1,000	450	6,500	108				
3. Fox Hill.....	W. A. Jeffreys.....		18		18	182		12	1	1	2,900		1	2,000	\$ 300	175	124	1,700	38				
Hampton:																							
4. Central	D. G. C. Butts.....	1	30	14	23	341	15	7	1	1	15,000		1	3,000	695	1,500	1,306	11,700	164				
5. First Church.....	J. C. Reed.....		13	15	10	363	6	5	1	1	25,000	\$ 7,375	1	5,000		4,542	2,159	15,520	115				
6. Hampton Roads.....	E. L. Peerman.....		18	50	17	204	11		3	3	4,500							2,000	59				
7. Larchmont.....	J. M. Kline.....		4	47	5	182	3		1	1	16,000		1	7,000	5,500	300	356	8,000	154				
8. Lynnhaven.....	W. L. King.....		7		46	209	7		3	3	11,600	297	1	2,000		1,100	253	7,100	36				
9. Mount Vernon and Campostella.....	E. R. Crawley.....		1	4	22	190			3	3	3,800		1	1,800		300	16	1,200	11				
Norfolk:			22	36		58	13		1	1	2,700	1,840					2,091	1,500	13				
10. Brambleton Avenue	A. L. Franklin.....		63	13	25	694	25	2	1	1	32,000	9,000						14,000					
11. Colonial Avenue.....	J. J. Bradford.....		16	84	35	510	9	4	1	1	45,000	8,000				5,750		14,000	10				
12. Cumberland Street.	J. L. Bray.....		14	16	17	805	8	4	1	2	62,000		1	8,000		75,000	542	27,000	75				
13. Epworth.....	S. T. Senter.....	2	105	68	42	1,355	50	10	1	1	200,000	49,000					9,966		18				
14. Ghent.....	G. C. Kelly.....		24	40	21	553	3	4	1	1	27,000		1	10,000	9,000			19,500	19				
15. LeKies Memorial...	L. G. Crutchfield.....		41	17	35	376	22	14	1	1	20,000		1	2,500		1,800	136	8,000					
16. Liberty Street.....	T. J. C. Heath.....		8	9	28	289	5	1	1	1	3,000		1	5,000		2,000	100	5,000	35				
17. McKendree.....	T. R. Reeves.....	1	30	45	248	579	29	5	1	1	50,000	4,500	2	9,300	2,000	2,500	422	27,500	8				
18. Memorial.....	E. T. Dadmun.....	1	21	36	48	632	19	23	1	2	41,500	1,400		3,500		500	1,105	24,800	19				
19. Park Place.....	J. M. Rowland.....		27	164	50	743	15	10	1	1	95,500	35,000	1	6,500			11,500	62,500	256				
20. Zion.....	G. T. Forrester.....		15	35	10	460	12	10	1	1	22,000	8,000	1	2,350		1,500	3,000	15,000	142				
21. North Princess Anne.	W. F. Hayes.....		6	4	11	178	4	1	2	2	9,000		1	2,350		250	536	6,500	29				
22. Oaklette.....	J. S. Wallace.....		2	2	7	85	1	2	1	1	2,000		1	1,200		525		2,600	17				
23. Ocean View and Bethel.....	L. A. Smith.....		5	23	8	86	1	3	1	1	3,500						25	2,250					
24. Princess Anne.....	G. B. King.....		2	1	1	32			1	1	2,000						90						
25. South Norfolk.....	J. E. White.....		12	2	30	446	8	2	3	3	9,000		1	3,000		700	169	3,000	7				
26. South Princess Anne.	J. H. Holloway.....		12	2	10	418	12	2	4	4	9,000		1	2,500		750	646	3,900	13				
27. York.....	T. G. Pullen.....	1	9	7	8	1,000	6	3	4	4	20,000		1	1,500		300	728	8,000	25				
			8	4	5	513	8	4	2	3	6,250		1	2,000		600	150	4,000	22				
TOTALS FOR 1917.....		6	554	750	794	12,807	300	153	47	51	\$755,250	\$124,412	23	\$84,700	\$17,495	\$108,092	\$37,070	\$305,770	2,687				
TOTALS FOR 1916.....		6	604	505	658	12,418	339	139	46	50	700,390	112,650	22	72,850	8,460	113,660	36,894	319,170	987				
INCREASE.....				245	136	389		14	1	1	\$54,860	\$11,762	1	\$11,850	\$9,035		\$176		1,700				
DECREASE.....			50				39									5,578		13,400					

NORFOLK DISTRICT—Continued.

CHARGES	Number of Epworth Leagues.	Epworth League Members.	Raised by Leagues for Missions (on Assessment).	Raised by Leagues for Missions (Special).	Collection League Anniversary Day.	Raised by Leagues for Other Objects.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Number of Sunday Schools.	Number Officers and Teachers.	Enrollment in All Departments.	Members in Home Department.	Children on Cradle Roll.	Number of Training Classes.	Number of Wesley Bible Classes.	Pupils Joining Church During the Year.	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (on Assessment).	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (Special).	Raised on Children's Day.	Raised for Sunday School Supplies.	Raised by Sunday Schools for Other Objects.	Total Raised by Sunday Schools.
1. Denby and Fairmount								2	34	205						\$25	\$50	\$7	\$125	\$200	\$407
2. East York	2	217				\$ 318	\$ 318	2	83	887		101			13		100	43	320	68	531
3. Fox Hill	1	108				37	37	1	24	224				1	12			9	100	13	122
Hampton:																					
4. Central	2	82		\$ 25	\$ 4	71	100	1	38	340	21	44	1	1	22	109		10	125	174	418
5. First Church	1	35						1	22	364	15	20		1	13	200	90	25	217	50	582
6. Hampton Roads	1	18		15		5	20	3	47	279	12	12		1	16		75	10	88	198	371
7. Larchmont								1	22	191	10	9					436	10	125	52	623
8. Lynnhaven								2	24	138				1	7	10		10		20	20
9. Mount Vernon and Campostella								3	20	120									30	30	30
Norfolk:								1	14	115					12	13			57	35	105
10. Brambleton Avenue								1	29	471					60			10	456	230	696
11. Colonial Avenue								1	54	568	65	54		1	15		241	13	437	208	899
12. Cumberland Street								2	47	645	122	46		3	10			7	384	151	542
13. Epworth								1	79	1,260	33	67		2	103		200	24	765	3,167	4,156
14. Ghent	1	40		10		41	51	1	77	383	30	50		1	19		189	23	110	78	400
15. LeKies Memorial								1	24	333	24	34		2	37	163	16	15	217	115	528
16. Liberty Street								1	17	301	14	20		4		50		8	130	30	218
17. McKendree								1	46	678	40	50		3	24	352			258	1,330	1,940
18. Memorial								2	54	672	48	38	2	7	20	50	60	25	145	918	1,198
19. Park Place	1	60				10	10	1	53	712	40	40	3	3	27	440		11	478		929
20. Zion								1	25	540	10	25		2	12	75		4	200	193	472
21. North Princess Anne								2	17	94					5			12	81	70	163
22. Oaklette								1	15	135							32	12	136		180
23. Ocean View and Bethel	1	40	\$ 10			33	43	1	17	100				1	4	31			75	70	176
24. Princess Anne								1	12	60										40	40
25. South Norfolk								3	53	358		12			9	35		17	139	100	291
26. South Princess Anne								4	44	268		9			12		39	47	208	41	335
27. York								4	103	827		26			7	70		35	207	208	520
								3	55	375							20	10	150	8	188
TOTALS FOR 1917	10	600	10	50	4	515	579	49	1,119	11,643	484	657	6	34	459	1,623	1,548	397	5,763	7,747	17,078
TOTALS FOR 1916	8	510		12	59	458	529	50	1,087	11,536	369	706	7	26	554	1,015	826	342	5,663	8,723	14,678
INCREASE	2	90	10	38		57	50		32	107	115			8		608	722	55	100		2,400
DECREASE					55			1				49	1		95					976	

CHARGES	Salary of Presiding Elder, Excluding Parsonage		Salary of Pastor, Excluding Parsonage		Bishops' Fund		Conference Claimants and Superannuate Endowment Fund		Foreign Missions			Home and Conference Missions				Woman's Work		
									On Assessment		Special	On Assessment		Home Missions (Special)	Conf. Missions (Special: Ferrum School)	Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Members	Amount Collected
	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Paid			
1. Denby and Fairmount	\$98	\$98	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$24	\$24	\$137	\$137	\$131	\$131	.....	\$168	\$168	.....	\$213	2	.....	\$200
2. East York.....	92	92	1,100	1,100	22	17	127	115	121	121	\$ 37	157	140	.....	.....	2	78	124
3. Fox Hill.....	58	58	700	800	13	7	81	40	76	45	.....	99	45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hampton:																		
4. Central	83	83	1,000	1,000	20	20	115	115	109	.....	.....	142	142	.....	29	1	75	158
5. First Church.....	98	98	1,200	1,200	24	24	137	137	132	50	.....	168	50	\$ 118	265	2	75	322
6. Hampton Roads.....	62	62	800	800	14	14	88	88	83	83	20	108	108	.....	.....	1	34	57
7. Larchmont.....	101	101	1,400	1,400	25	25	141	141	135	135	500	174	174	100	200	1	87	205
8. Lynnhaven.....	59	59	750	761	13	6	81	40	78	55	.....	100	50	.....	23	1	20	35
9. Mount Vernon and Campostella.....	30	30	320	292	7	3	40	16	39	15	.....	50	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
			250	250	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	8	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	1	12	8
Norfolk:																		
10. Brambleton Avenue	144	144	1,500	1,500	33	33	201	201	191	191	.....	248	248	.....	2	1	69	383
11. Colonial Avenue....	126	126	1,800	1,800	31	31	173	173	167	167	13	215	215	.....	114	2	74	977
12. Cumberland Street..	148	148	1,800	1,800	36	36	205	205	196	196	.....	254	254	.....	223	2	136	469
13. Epworth.....	246	246	3,000	3,000	60	60	342	342	327	327	1,100	425	425	.....	1,500	3	172	1,138
14. Ghent.....	160	160	1,950	1,950	38	38	222	222	214	214	50	276	276	.....	348	2	72	161
15. LeKies Memorial...	98	98	1,200	1,200	24	24	137	137	132	.....	25	168	137	.....	49	3	70	93
16. Liberty Street.....	83	83	1,000	1,000	20	5	115	28	109	27	.....	142	35	.....	50	1	25	10
17. McKendree.....	164	164	2,000	2,000	40	40	228	228	218	109	.....	283	40	.....	105	3	160	333
18. Memorial.....	148	148	1,800	1,800	36	36	205	205	196	146	.....	254	204	.....	213	4	175	450
19. Park Place.....	148	148	2,000	2,000	36	36	205	205	196	196	.....	254	254	.....	.....	1	69	179
20. Zion.....	111	111	1,350	1,350	29	29	154	154	147	72	.....	190	190	.....	44	1	50	360
21. North Princess Anne..	70	70	850	850	16	7	97	48	94	60	.....	122	65	.....	21	1	20	56
22. Oaklette.....	33	33	400	400	7	7	46	46	44	44	.....	58	58	.....	.....	1	25	31
23. Ocean View and Bethel.....	52	52	650	650	12	8	72	15	70	15	.....	92	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
			95	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
24. Princess Anne.....	74	74	1,000	1,005	17	10	103	90	98	90	.....	129	100	.....	.....	3	45	44
25. South Norfolk.....	74	74	1,000	1,000	17	17	103	103	98	98	75	129	129	.....	.....	2	43	59
26. South Princess Anne...	83	83	1,200	1,200	20	20	115	115	109	39	.....	142	142	.....	.....	4	183	320
27. York.....	57	57	750	750	12	8	80	50	77	50	.....	101	48	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	2,700	2,700	33,770	33,953	646	585	3,750	3,406	3,587	2,684	1,820	4,648	3,753	218	3,399	45	1,769	6,172
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	2,500	2,500	32,497	32,851	646	501	3,625	2,899	3,587	2,447	1,748	4,648	3,646	.....	1,778	43	1,428	5,533
INCREASE.....	200	200	1,273	1,102	.....	84	125	507	.....	237	72	.....	107	218	1,621	2	341	639
DECREASE.....																		

NORFOLK DISTRICT—*Concluded.*

CHARGES	Church Extension			Education				Rosebud Missionary Society	Virginia Conference Orphanage	American Bible Society	General Conference Expenses	Annual Conference Expenses	Raised for all other Objects	Total Raised for all Purposes	Average per Member	Church Papers	
	On Assessment		Special	Educational Extension		Randolph- Macon College										Copies of General Organ Taken	Copies of Conference Organ Taken
	Ass'd	Paid		Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd										
1. Denby and Fairmount	\$97	\$97	.....	\$37	\$37	\$56	\$56	.....	\$192	.....	\$18	\$9	\$ 500	\$4,512	\$ 19 11	1	12
2. East York.....	89	70	.....	33	20	51	35	.....	202	\$ 18	11	6	1,500	5,015	4 61	1	20
3. Fox Hill.....	56	15	.....	21	8	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	3	293	1,638	9 00	.....	.....
Hampton:																	
4. Central	81	81	.....	31	31	46	46	.....	52	.....	15	7	785	4,552	13 35	1	15
5. First Church.....	97	97	.....	37	37	55	55	\$ 4	116	15	18	9	1,105	6,576	17 87	.....	.....
6. Hampton Roads.....	61	61	.....	23	23	35	35	8	68	10	12	6	456	2,361	11 57	1	10
7. Larchmont.....	100	100	.....	38	38	56	56	.....	467	10	19	9	2,578	7,391	40 61	.....	.....
8. Lynnhaven.....	57	25	.....	21	.....	32	8	24	15	2	5	2	664	2,083	9 96	1	7
9. Mount Vernon and {	29	8	.....	10	4	16	6	9	.....	.....	2	2	53	.....	.....	1	3
Campostella..... {	2	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	560	3,572	14 44	.....	4
Norfolk:																	
10. Brambleton Avenue	142	142	.....	58	58	80	80	42	211	5	27	13	2,407	6,383	9 20	.....	.....
11. Colonial Avenue.....	124	124	.....	48	48	69	69	.....	179	28	23	12	3,178	8,186	16 05	3	10
12. Cumberland Street.	146	146	.....	56	56	82	82	14	113	10	27	13	9,102	14,053	17 46	.....	.....
13. Epworth.....	244	244	.....	90	90	137	137	130	660	42	45	22	11,739	35,387	26 12	15	40
14. Ghent.....	150	150	.....	58	58	89	89	.....	173	20	29	15	7,153	11,544	20 87	.....	.....
15. LeKies Memorial...	97	97	.....	37	37	55	55	.....	87	12	18	9	1,587	4,327	11 50	1	23
16. Liberty Street.....	81	17	.....	31	7	46	12	20	60	3	4	2	1,060	2,776	9 60	2	5
17. McKendree.....	164	164	.....	60	60	91	91	39	231	.....	30	15	6,455	12,475	21 54	2	19
18. Memorial.....	146	146	.....	56	56	82	82	.....	98	10	27	13	1,562	7,518	11 89	.....	.....
19. Park Place.....	146	146	.....	56	56	82	82	6	50	25	27	13	3,110	19,228	25 88	4	35
20. Zion.....	112	58	.....	38	38	61	61	25	85	5	10	10	1,200	7,419	16 13	1	5
21. North Princess Anne..	68	18	.....	24	10	39	15	13	94	12	6	3	396	2,472	14 04	1	10
22. Oaklette.....	32	32	.....	11	11	18	18	.....	55	11	6	3	345	1,297	15 26	2	7
23. Ocean View and {	50	20	.....	19	15	29	15	.....	12	1	10	5	204	.....	.....	1	1
Bethel..... {														1,521	12 90	.....	.....
24. Princess Anne.....	73	40	.....	26	20	41	20	13	90	8	.....	5	450	2,526	5 66	1	15
25. South Norfolk.....	73	73	.....	26	26	41	41	145	79	18	15	8	523	3,418	8 22	1	12
26. South Princess Anne..	81	50	.....	31	20	46	42	32	148	36	15	7	598	3,879	3 87	1	20
27. York.....	55	18	.....	19	5	33	6	7	29	4	5	6	440	2,325	4 53	.....	40
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	2,652	2,241	.....	995	871	1,500	1,294	531	3,569	305	424	227	60,003	184,434	14 40	41	313
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	2,652	2,166	\$ 22	995	963	1,500	1,070	489	3,096	301	5	218	45,010	169,180	13 62	36	346
INCREASE.....		75	.....				224	42	473	4	419	9	14,993	15,254	78	5	.....
DECREASE.....			.....		92												23

PETERSBURG DISTRICT—B. F. LIPSCOMB, Presiding Elder.

CHARGES	PASTORS	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Organized Churches.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value of Church Buildings.	Indebtedness on Church Buildings.	Number of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Parsonages.	Value of All Other Church Property.	Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Total Insurance Carried.	Premium Paid.	Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.
1. Brunswick.....	H. V. Clarke.....		8	3	18	321	8	....	4	4	\$4,000	.....	1	\$1,500	.....	\$200	\$437	\$800	.....			
2. Chester and Ivey Memorial.....	W. T. Williams.....	1	14	5	5	274	10	2	2	2	5,500	.....	1	3,000	\$ 334	1,000	210	5,400	\$ 33				
3. Chesterfield.....	G. M. Bishop.....		15	7	4	410	14	....	4	4	6,000	.....	1	1,500	.....	875	80	2,500	13				
4. City Point.....	J. S. Gresham.....			21	19	54	....	6	1	1	6,500	\$ 500	1	800	.....	200	3,937	4,800	115				
5. Dinwiddie.....	W. W. Sawyer.....		2	1	40	334	1	2	5	5	7,000	.....	1	3,300	.....	.....	400	5,300	30				
6. East Dinwiddie.....	R. F. Gayle.....		19	7	22	681	8	7	7	7	11,100	.....	1	4,000	90	500	1,300	6,000	.....			
7. Emporia.....	J. H. Light.....	1	17	36	19	439	13	5	3	3	17,500	.....	1	2,000	.....	1,500	100	10,500	43				
8. Ettrick.....	H. W. Neville.....	1	3	1	15	305	2	....	1	1	4,000	.....	1	1,500	.....	900	88	3,300	20				
9. Greenvsille.....	Richard Ferguson.....		40	4	20	383	35	....	4	4	4,200	.....	1	2,500	175	500	.....	.....	.....	
10. Hopewell.....	C. A. Tucker.....		65	135	13	309	22	14	1	1	5,000	350	.....	.....	.....	500	1,550	2,000	20				
11. Lawrenceville.....	N. B. Foushee.....		27	22	26	803	20	8	4	4	18,000	.....	1	3,000	.....	800	217	10,000	71				
12. Matoaca.....	J. U. Edwards.....		19	1	4	248	19	....	1	1	5,000	115	.....	.....	.....	144	1,000	5				2	
13. Mecklenburg.....	J. T. Payne.....	1	10	....	3	590	7	3	5	5	10,000	.....	1	2,500	.....	375	.....	3,000	30				
Petersburg:																							
14. Blandford.....	H. N. Smith.....		3	2	1	148	3	....	1	1	10,000	1,250	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	6,000	.....			
15. High Street.....	F. G. Davis.....	1	30	24	35	681	21	5	1	1	25,000	.....	1	6,000	.....	7,000	707	20,000	46				
16. Market Street.....	L. T. Williams.....		35	66	24	631	28	3	1	1	30,000	.....	1	6,000	.....	8,000	188	3,260	63				
17. Memorial.....	E. V. Carson.....	1	102	15	16	670	64	12	1	1	25,000	4,500	.....	.....	.....	3,000	375	18,000	11				
18. Washington Street.....	J. B. Winn.....	1	29	63	35	806	19	9	1	1	50,000	2,675	1	9,000	.....	6,700	176	34,650	203				
19. Wesley.....	J. R. Eggleston.....		2	6	6	422	1	3	1	1	25,000	.....	1	3,050	.....	.....	800	700	3				
20. Prince George.....	L. J. Phaup.....		76	30	65	555	49	9	6	6	10,000	.....	1	5,000	.....	1,000	328	5,000	23				
21. South Brunswick.....	J. E. De Shazo.....	1	70	....	10	1,060	65	1	8	8	10,000	.....	1	1,500	.....	850	150	1,500	35				
22. South Chesterfield.....	W. J. Watt.....		13	4	5	222	6	....	3	3	5,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	150	20	2,250	19				
23. South Dinwiddie.....	E. B. Loving.....		25	7	17	383	19	8	4	4	7,000	.....	1	1,800	457	.....	537	3,000	6				
24. South Hill.....	J. W. Stiff.....		33	3	20	566	27	11	4	4	13,000	.....	1	3,000	.....	3,800	6,749	2,000	10				
25. Surry.....	T. W. Ogden.....		10	5	13	414	7	....	4	4	7,000	.....	1	1,500	.....	.....	4,900	63					
26. Sussex.....	R. H. Marks.....	1	23	8	4	626	10	7	7	7	13,000	.....	1	2,000	.....	300	8,500	.....				
27. Wakefield.....	W. L. Ware.....		28	5	5	460	28	2	3	3	16,000	.....	1	6,000	.....	2,000	100	10,750	136				
28. Waverly.....	John O. Moss.....		19	6	7	250	15	....	2	2	4,500	.....	1	3,500	763	500	500	3,500	.....			
29. West Brunswick.....	J. E. Brooks.....		25	5	7	672	15	2	4	4	13,000	.....	1	3,000	.....	700	5,262	3,500	20				
30. West Chesterfield.....	W. L. Tucker.....		19	1	5	245	12	....	4	4	6,200	.....	1	800	.....	600	333	900	7				
31. West Dinwiddie.....	H. H. Smith.....		17	8	17	550	12	3	4	4	9,000	.....	1	2,500	.....	1,000	100	5,500	20				
TOTALS FOR 1917.....		9	798	501	500	14,512	560	122	101	101	382,900	9,390	26	80,250	1,819	42,850	25,088	188,510	1,045	1	....	2	....
TOTALS FOR 1916.....		8	608	847	786	13,774	469	95	101	101	365,100	11,135	26	78,600	3,702	37,175	23,612	221,550	708	....		
INCREASE.....		1	190	738	91	27	17,800	1,650	5,675	1,476	337	1	2
DECREASE.....				346	286	1,745	1,883	33,040				

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CHARGES	Number of Epworth Leagues.	Epworth League Members.	Raised by Leagues for Missions (on Assessment).	Raised by Leagues for Missions (Special).	Collection League Anniversary Day.	Raised by Leagues for Other Objects.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Number of Sunday Schools.	Number Officers and Teachers.	Enrollment in All Departments.	Members in Home Department.	Children on Cradle Roll.	Number of Training Classes.	Number of Wesley Bible Classes.	Pupils Joining Church During the Year.	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (on Assessment).	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (Special).	Raised on Children's Day.	Raised for Sunday School Supplies.	Raised by Sunday Schools for Other Objects.	Total Raised by Sunday Schools.
1. Brunswick.....								4	36	295					7		\$ 30	\$ 6	\$32		\$68
2. Chester and Ivey Memorial.....	1	27				\$ 5	\$ 5	2	31	335	30	18					72	17	380		469
3. Chesterfield.....								4	32	289					5		14	22	77	102	215
4. City Point.....								1	12	145		10			2	\$ 28		1	40	36	105
5. Dinwiddie.....								5	30	330	40	8		1	2		20	15	70	50	155
6. East Dinwiddie.....								7	85	516		8			12		100	31	265	11	407
7. Emporia.....								2	29	427	12	46		1	15		150		220	246	616
8. Ettrick.....								1	25	236		20			3		63	6	245	65	379
9. Greenville.....								4	25	200						5		3	26	14	48
10. Hopewell.....								1	23	713	50	213			40		91		354	50	505
11. Lawrenceville.....								4	55	460		30		1	25		114	44	319		477
12. Matoaca.....								1	22	312	44	46		5	19		62	5	100	325	495
13. Mecklenburg.....								5	57	364					7			8	120	103	231
Petersburg:																					
14. Blandford.....								1	16	225							257	15	250	210	732
15. High Street.....								1	69	681		35	1	2	31			13	485		498
16. Market Street.....	1	25						1	41	394		45			27						597
17. Memorial.....	1	38	3				3	1	40	500		45		1	30	90			307	200	1,067
18. Washington Street.....								1	33	512	50	25			23		303	12	338	414	333
19. Wesley.....	1	40				100	100	1	22	182		17				133			200		287
20. Prince George.....								6	61	360					45	25	30	32	200		331
21. South Brunswick.....								8	80	558	35	30		1	30		50	13	268		196
22. South Chesterfield.....								2	20	177					13	21		5	35	135	255
23. South Dinwiddie.....								4	42	290				2	15		100	21	82	52	250
24. South Hill.....								4	44	348					28		50	17	171	12	280
25. Surry.....								3	40	283		25	1	4	8		20	6	188	66	235
26. Sussex.....								7	45	400	25	22	1	1	9			10	150	75	501
27. Wakefield.....								3	42	380	19	17	1	4	22		200	10	291		125
28. Waverly.....								2	12	150					15				125		296
29. West Brunswick.....								4	55	460							29	87	100	80	84
30. West Chesterfield.....								4	43	264					19		25	10		49	464
31. West Dinwiddie.....								4	65	485	40	12	1	1	12		100	54	110	200	
TOTALS FOR 1917...	4	130	3			105	108	98	1,237	11,271	345	672	5	24	482	518	1,667	476	5,548	2,495	10,701
TOTALS FOR 1916...	2	49				13	13	101	1,264	11,638	278	560	6	19	385	703	1,290	352	4,934	2,770	9,989
INCREASE.....	2	81	3			92	95				67	112		5	77		377	124	614		712
DECREASE.....								3	27	367			1			185				275	

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CHARGES	Salary of Presiding Elder, Excluding Parsonage		Salary of Pastor, Excluding Parsonage		Bishops' Fund		Conference Claimants and Superannuate Endowment Fund		Foreign Missions			Home and Conference Missions				Woman's Work		
									On Assessment		Special	On Assessment		Home Missions (Special)	Conf. Missions (Special: Ferrum School)	Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Members	Amount Collected
	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Paid			
1. Brunswick.....	\$48	\$48	\$600	\$625	\$11	\$11	\$62	\$62	\$59	\$59	.....	\$77	\$77	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Chester and Ivey Memorial.....	78	78	1,000	1,000	17	9	100	100	96	96	.....	124	124	.....	\$ 13	1	55	\$ 85
3. Chesterfield.....	53	53	650	650	12	12	69	69	66	66	.....	85	85	.....	2	2	28	38
4. City Point.....	33	33	600	600	6	1	41	9	40	9	.....	51	11	.....	.....	1	12	10
5. Dinwiddie.....	78	78	900	900	18	9	103	75	99	50	.....	128	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6. East Dinwiddie.....	104	104	1,300	1,300	23	23	135	135	129	129	\$ 50	167	167	.....	5	.....	.....	.....
7. Emporia.....	108	108	1,500	1,500	24	24	138	138	132	132	.....	171	171	.....	50	4	124	473
8. Ettrick.....	67	67	825	825	15	8	86	43	82	41	.....	107	54	.....	12	.....	.....	.....
9. Greenville.....	46	40	700	600	10	10	59	59	.....	40	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10. Hopewell.....	33	33	1,000	1,030	6	6	41	41	40	.....	.....	51	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11. Lawrenceville.....	113	113	1,300	1,305	26	26	148	148	142	142	100	184	184	.....	25	1	48	247
12. Matoaca.....	44	44	600	600	10	5	59	30	56	.....	.....	73	.....	.....	.....	1	36	50
13. Mecklenburg.....	84	84	1,069	1,069	19	19	107	107	107	107	.....	137	137	.....	8	.....	.....	.....
Petersburg:																		
14. Blandford.....	37	37	450	450	8	7	48	41	46	39	.....	60	51	\$ 3	.....	.....	.....	35
15. High Street.....	156	156	2,000	2,000	35	35	204	204	195	195	.....	252	252	.....	11	1	60	114
16. Market Street.....	173	173	2,100	2,100	39	39	224	224	214	214	280	278	278	151	138	2	90	517
17. Memorial.....	78	78	1,000	1,000	17	17	100	100	96	96	.....	124	134	.....	.....	1	59	31
18. Washington Street..	260	260	3,000	3,000	58	58	338	338	323	323	.....	419	419	.....	55	5	236	1,890
19. Wesley.....	86	86	1,100	1,100	19	19	110	100	105	75	.....	137	100	.....	24	.....	.....	.....
20. Prince George.....	87	87	1,200	1,200	20	20	114	114	129	104	.....	141	141	.....	100	1	18	20
21. South Brunswick.....	78	75	900	900	18	19	104	52	99	64	.....	128	83	.....	.....	2	12	60
22. South Chesterfield....	34	34	400	400	8	8	45	32	43	22	.....	56	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
23. South Dinwiddie.....	74	74	850	850	17	17	97	97	92	92	.....	120	120	.....	2	1	26	41
24. South Hill.....	106	106	1,250	1,250	24	24	138	151	132	132	50	171	171	.....	14	1	20	93
25. Surry.....	87	87	1,000	1,000	20	11	114	67	109	65	.....	141	84	.....	.....	2	41	102
26. Sussex.....	95	95	1,200	1,200	21	21	124	124	119	119	500	154	154	.....	258	1	23	43
27. Wakefield.....	104	104	1,200	1,200	24	24	138	138	132	132	500	171	171	.....	53	2	50	144
28. Waverly.....	74	74	850	850	17	5	97	89	92	60	.....	120	84	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
29. West Brunswick.....	87	87	1,000	1,075	20	15	114	114	109	109	.....	141	141	.....	28	2	56	65
30. West Chesterfield.....	50	50	687	687	11	9	66	52	63	52	.....	81	70	.....	.....	1	10	40
31. West Dinwiddie.....	95	95	1,200	1,200	21	21	124	124	119	128	.....	154	154	.....	50	.....	.....	.....
TOTALS FOR 1917...	2,650	2,641	33,431	33,466	594	522	3,450	3,177	3,300	2,892	1,500	4,276	3,697	154	848	32	1,004	4,098
TOTALS FOR 1916...	2,650	2,651	30,530	30,816	594	537	3,335	3,042	3,300	2,885	348	4,276	3,610	128	683	35	1,052	3,531
INCREASE.....	.....	.....	2,901	2,650	.....	.....	115	135	.....	7	1,152	.....	87	26	165	3	48	567
DECREASE.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

PORTSMOUTH AND NEWPORT NEWS DISTRICT—W. H. EDWARDS, Presiding Elder.

CHARGES	PASTORS	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Organized Churches.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value of Church Buildings.	Indebtedness on Church Buildings.	Number of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Parsonages.	Value of All Other Church Property.	Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Total Insurance Carried.	Premium Paid.	Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.
1. Benn's.....	E. H. Powell.....	2	20	2	30	404	12	2	3	3	\$7,000	\$15	1	\$1,500		\$2,000	\$150	\$3,900	\$28				
2. Boykin's.....	T. E. Johnson.....		10	12	30	404	10		4	4	15,000	600	1	3,000	\$500	500		5,500	38				
3. Capron.....	J. W. Marsh.....		31	11	23	650	28	3	6	6	9,000		1	2,000		900	101	3,000					
4. Churchland and West Norfolk.....	N. A. Page.....			15	1	139			2	2	7,500		1	2,500		500	375	3,800	19	1		\$72	\$72
5. Crittenden.....	G. R. Rood.....			1	5	205		1	1	1	3,500		1	1,250			300	1,000	14				
6. Franklin—High Street	R. M. Chandler.....		5	7	13	254	4	1	1	1	18,000	8,500	1	3,500			1,020	15,000	44				
7. Gilmerton Circuit.....	J. A. Sawyer.....		5	1	90	241	5	5	4	4	5,650		1				148						
8. Isle of Wight.....	H. T. Todd.....		4	10	8	385	3		4	4	9,000		1	2,000		500	8,500	2,500	11				
9. Newsom's.....	A. L. Carson.....		39	6	14	831	83	1	4	4	24,000	3,500	1	2,000		1,000	1,160	7,500					
Newport News:																							
10. Chestnut Avenue.....	S. O. Wright.....	1	33	31	15	553	18	3	1	1	13,000		1	3,600	960	1,500	1,743	7,000	43				
11. Grace.....	C. E. Green.....		16	25	120	277	7	6	1	1	7,500	2,000	1	2,000		500	1,500	3,500	24				
12. Trinity.....	J. A. Thomas.....		39	412	36	846	16	2	2	2	38,000	6,000				8,000	4,212	17,000	136				
13. Norfolk Circuit.....	P. M. Bell.....		7	34	10	189	2		4	4	15,000		1	2,000	300	600	145	9,000	29				
Portsmouth:																							
14. Broad Street.....	G. W. Wray.....		10	13	26	577	1		1	1	37,458	6,900	1	5,000	2,500	3,500	2,458	22,400	40				
15. Central.....	S. A. Donahoe.....		19	12	24	679	7	9	1	1	47,000	11,800	1	4,500	1,700	3,000	1,183	24,000					
16. Cottage Place.....	J. G. Unruh.....		20	10	13	307	15	2	1	1	12,000	1,260					600	8,000	60				
17. Elm Avenue.....	R. B. Scott.....		15	7	7	240	7	9	1	1	1,500					300	50	1,500					
18. Monumental.....	W. B. Beauchamp.....		28	13	29	895	21	3	1	1	100,000	10,900	1	6,000		10,000	3,056	35,700	63				
19. Park View.....	W. T. A. Haynes.....		18	35	30	438	11	12	1	1	5,000		1	4,000		4,000	27	6,200	54				
20. Wright Memorial.....	V. W. Bargamin.....		50	65	28	573	15	14	1	2	30,000	700	1	5,000				16,000	60				
21. Smithfield.....	W. H. Atwill.....		3	2	2	288			1	1	18,000		1	3,500	340	800	1,037	9,500	14				
22. Southampton.....	W. L. Burks.....		52	11	4	593	48	2	5	5	13,500	2,000	1	1,500		750	1,250	4,750	95				
Suffolk:																							
23. Main Street.....	J. A. Winn.....		77	52	24	635	15	7	1	1	67,000	15,000	1	7,000		5,000	6,768	20,000	155				
24. Oxford.....	G. F. Greene.....		15	8	9	170	15	1	1	1	7,000		1	3,500		1,600	1,280	3,800	9				
25. Whaleyville and Somerton.....	A. A. Whitmore.....		16	2	16	318	11	3	2	2	7,000		1	1,500		500	143	2,725					
26. Williamsburg.....	J. R. Laughton.....			3		190			2	2	11,000		1	4,000	1,530		245	5,100	61				
27. Windsor.....	A. N. Lewis.....		1	11	9	310			4	4	8,000		1	2,500		400	150	2,600					
TOTALS FOR 1917.....		3	533	811	616	11,591	354	86	60	61	536,608	69,175	24	73,350	7,830	44,850	37,601	240,975	995	1		72	72
TOTALS FOR 1916.....		4	759	393	575	11,111	469	136	60	62	503,950	80,100	24	68,650	8,600	44,850	46,222	239,725	1,178				
INCREASE.....				418	41	480					27,658			4,700				1,250		1		72	72
DECREASE.....			226				115	50		1					770		8,621		183				

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CHARGES	Number of Epworth Leagues.	Epworth League Members.	Raised by Leagues for Missions (on Assessment.)	Raised by Leagues for Missions (Special).	Collection League Anniversary Day.	Raised by Leagues for Other Objects.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Number of Sunday Schools.	Number Officers and Teachers.	Enrollment in all Departments.	Members in Home Department.	Children on Cradle Roll.	Number of Training Classes.	Number of Wesley Bible Classes.	Pupils Joining Church During the year.	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (on Assessment).	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (Special).	Raised on Children's Day.	Raised for Sunday School Supplies.	Raised by Sunday Schools for Other Objects.	Total Raised by Sunday Schools.
1. Benn's.....	3	100	\$10	\$2		\$24	\$36	3	50	500	35	75	1	4	13		\$140	\$4	\$250	\$175	\$569
2. Boykin's.....								4	36	325					4		50	7	160		217
3. Capron.....	2	117		24		81	105	7	65	602	37	47	1	1	19	\$50		11	227	285	555
4. Churchland and West Norfolk.....								2	15	75									60		92
5. Crittenden.....								1	22	165				2		32	5		77		107
6. Franklin—High Street								1	18	296	30				5		2	6	100	192	435
7. Gilmerton Circuit.....								5	35	314		61						18	247	25	272
8. Isle of Wight.....								3	38	277	12	39			2		58	14	90	40	202
9. Newsom's.....								4	49	540		45			20		200	15	250	275	740
Newport News:																					
10. Chestnut Avenue.....	2	79		45	\$5	65	115	1	47	601	76	55	1	3	24		92	6	125	222	445
11. Grace.....	2	133		40	7	278	325	1	30	303	55	19		1	9	51	125	6	270		452
12. Trinity.....	1	44				196	196	2	49	770	85	73			30		50		248	219	517
13. Norfolk Circuit.....								4	30	155						15		13	88	115	231
Portsmouth:																					
14. Broad Street.....	1	30				2	2	1	31	586				4			100	10	323	395	828
15. Central.....	1	40						1	36	609	35	50	1	2	12	131		8	391	528	1,058
16. Cottage Place.....								1	22	350		40		1	15	118		5	125	142	390
17. Elm Avenue.....								1	23	214	43	33	1	1	2			6	170	405	631
18. Monumental.....	2	106		25		158	183	1	45	730	90	40			21			24	362	400	786
19. Park View.....	2	125		15		99	114	1	32	370		43	1	4	16	136			125	481	742
20. Wright Memorial.....	1	40				35	35	1	25	300				1	30	75		5	229	67	376
21. Smithfield.....								1	25	282	50	16	1	3	2			12	198	159	369
22. Southampton.....	2	114	16			21	37	5	52	578	18	34	1	3	56	70		12	208	43	333
Suffolk:																					
23. Main Street.....								1	31	371		45		1	47		141	12	324	75	552
24. Oxford.....								1	16	156		4		2	17			9	122	40	171
25. Whaleyville and Somerton.....								2	27	179		12			12	40		13	145		198
26. Williamsburg.....								1	12	160						14			60	17	91
27. Windsor.....								4	42	275			1			60		6	175		241
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	19	928	26	151	12	959	1,148	60	903	10,083	566	731	9	33	356	797	1,083	222	5,149	4,317	11,610
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	16	836		96	6	612	730	60	896	10,051	396	774	11	28	505	1,425	978	218	5,470	3,794	11,884
INCREASE.....	3	92	26	55	6	347	418		7	32	170	43	2	5	149	628	105	4		523	
DECREASE.....																			321		274

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CHARGES	Salary of Presiding Elder, Excluding Parsonage		Salary of Pastor, Excluding Parsonage		Bishops' Fund		Conference Claimants and Superannuate Endowment Fund		Foreign Missions			Home and Conference Missions				Woman's Work		
									On Assessment		Special	On Assessment		Home Missions (Special)	Conf. Missions (Special: Ferrum School)	Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Members	Amount Collected
	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Paid			
1. Benn's.....	\$80	\$80	\$1,100	\$1,100	\$19	\$19	\$110	\$110	\$105	\$105	.....	\$136	\$136	.....	\$100	2	34	\$63
2. Boykin's.....	96	96	1,200	1,200	23	23	132	132	126	78	.....	164	164	.....	21	2	25	86
3. Capron.....	83	83	1,200	1,200	20	20	114	114	109	59	\$1,000	141	141	.....	7	1	18	29
4. Churchland and West Norfolk.....	60	60	750	750	14	10	83	48	79	23	.....	103	72	.....	165	1	15	89
5. Crittenden.....	48	48	700	700	11	6	66	40	64	32	.....	82	41	.....	.....	1	24	35
6. Franklin—High Street	96	96	1,200	1,200	23	23	132	132	126	126	.....	164	164	.....	.....	1	29	441
7. Gilmerton Circuit.....	53	53	650	650	12	6	69	37	66	35	.....	86	46	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8. Isle of Wight.....	64	64	800	800	15	9	88	55	85	53	.....	110	62	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
9. Newsom's.....	96	96	1,200	1,200	23	23	132	100	126	126	.....	164	138	.....	7	3	85	100
Newport News:																		
10. Chestnut Avenue....	96	96	1,250	1,250	23	23	132	132	126	126	.....	164	164	.....	31	1	35	300
11. Grace.....	83	83	1,200	1,200	19	19	114	114	109	109	.....	141	141	.....	.....	2	72	480
12. Trinity.....	145	145	2,000	2,085	34	34	199	199	190	190	.....	246	246	.....	46	2	58	299
13. Norfolk Circuit.....	92	92	1,000	1,000	22	22	127	48	121	35	.....	157	60	.....	14	.....	.....	.....
Portsmouth:																		
14. Broad Street.....	96	96	1,200	1,200	23	23	132	132	126	126	.....	164	164	\$25	36	2	53	237
15. Central.....	130	130	1,600	1,600	31	31	178	178	170	170	.....	221	221	.....	15	2	50	376
16. Cottage Place.....	70	70	850	850	16	16	96	96	92	92	.....	118	.....	.....	10	1	15	58
17. Elm Avenue.....	48	48	600	600	77	6	66	44	63	55	.....	82	55	.....	9	.....	.....	.....
18. Monumental.....	201	201	2,500	2,500	48	48	276	276	264	264	1,000	342	342	.....	500	3	167	1,931
19. Park View.....	104	104	1,400	1,450	25	25	143	143	137	137	.....	177	177	.....	41	1	92	1,761
20. Wright Memorial....	101	101	1,200	1,200	24	18	139	90	133	26	.....	172	93	.....	8	1	30	303
21. Smithfield.....	104	104	1,400	1,400	25	25	143	168	137	137	142	177	177	.....	.....	2	74	244
22. Southampton.....	80	80	1,000	1,000	19	16	110	108	105	105	.....	137	137	.....	.....	1	14	15
Suffolk:																		
23. Main Street.....	145	145	1,800	1,800	34	34	199	199	190	190	100	246	246	33	108	2	164	404
24. Oxford.....	52	52	950	950	12	12	72	72	69	69	.....	88	88	.....	.....	2	52	186
25. Whaleyville and Som- erton.....	52	52	800	800	12	12	72	72	69	69	38	88	88	.....	26	1	31	49
26. Williamsburg.....	64	64	800	800	15	2	88	15	85	3	.....	110	21	.....	.....	1	26	29
27. Windsor.....	64	64	900	900	15	12	88	65	85	62	.....	110	80	.....	25	2	25	35
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	2,403	2,403	31,250	31,385	568	517	3,300	2,919	3,157	2,602	2,280	4,090	3,464	58	1,169	37	1,188	7,550
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	2,200	2,200	29,847	29,912	568	472	3,190	2,708	3,157	2,403	1,730	4,090	3,340	.....	517	34	1,110	6,360
INCREASE.....	203	203	1,403	1,473	.....	45	110	211	.....	199	550	.....	124	58	652	3	78	1,190
DECREASE.....																		

PORTSMOUTH AND NEWPORT NEWS DISTRICT—Concluded.

CHARGES	Church Extension			Education				Rosebud Missionary Society	Virginia Conference Orphanage	American Bible Society	General Conference Expenses	Annual Conference Expenses	Raised for all other Objects	Total Raised for all Purposes	Average per Member	Church Papers	
	On Assessment		Special	Educational Extension		Randolph- Macon College										Copies of General Organ Taken	Copies of Conference Organ Taken
	Ass'd	Paid		Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd										
1. Benn's.....	\$78	\$78	.....	\$23	\$23	\$50	\$50	\$15	\$103	\$15	\$14	\$7	\$1,825	\$4,674	\$11 57	2	25
2. Boykin's.....	93	81	.....	35	25	53	30	84	240	.....	.....	5	581	3,101	7 68	6	22
3. Capron.....	81	81	.....	30	30	46	46	9	415	18	15	8	1,612	5,641	8 68	2	20
4. Churchland and West Norfolk.....	59	42	.....	22	14	33	19	50	45	6	10	5	141	2,108	15 16	4	10
5. Crittenden.....	47	24	.....	17	9	26	13	20	34	2	5	4	188	1,622	7 91	1	8
6. Franklin—High Street	93	93	.....	35	35	53	53	27	205	22	18	9	2,580	6,723	22 53	2	22
7. Gilmerton Circuit....	49	26	.....	18	9	28	15	.....	.....	.....	9	5	231	1,542	6 40	1	14
8. Isle of Wight.....	63	39	.....	24	15	35	21	9	19	5	7	4	110	1,570	4 08	.....	20
9. Newsom's.....	93	73	.....	35	25	53	53	65	93	20	18	9	2,200	6,215	7 48	1	30
Newport News:																	
10. Chestnut Avenue....	93	93	.....	35	35	53	53	.....	91	.....	18	9	650	5,399	9 76	1	25
11. Grace.....	80	80	.....	30	30	45	45	.....	216	12	15	7	496	5,408	19 52	1	.....
12. Trinity.....	140	140	.....	53	53	80	80	4	240	10	26	13	2,972	11,843	14 00	.....	.....
13. Norfolk Circuit.....	90	35	.....	34	.....	51	.....	21	30	.....	.....	.....	323	2,100	11 11	1	12
Portsmouth:																	
14. Broad Street.....	93	93	.....	35	35	53	53	4	179	5	18	9	1,749	7,512	13 02	.....	.....
15. Central.....	126	126	.....	47	47	71	71	28	105	.....	24	12	1,912	7,287	10 73	.....	.....
16. Cottage Place.....	68	68	.....	25	25	38	38	.....	12	5	13	7	090	3,100	10 10	1	1
17. Elm Avenue.....	47	9	.....	17	15	26	20	14	37	60	9	5	300	1,917	7 99	1	3
18. Monumental.....	195	195	.....	73	73	110	110	.....	240	.....	37	19	5,453	17,327	19 35	.....	.....
19. Park View.....	101	101	.....	38	38	57	57	.....	70	12	19	9	1,244	6,325	14 44	.....	.....
20. Wright Memorial....	98	60	.....	37	25	56	35	.....	148	4	6	4	3,328	5,912	10 32	.....	.....
21. Smithfield.....	101	101	.....	38	38	57	57	46	83	33	19	9	429	4,632	16 09	2	30
22. Southampton.....	78	75	.....	29	27	44	41	.....	76	.....	8	6	1,200	4,609	7 77	2	23
Suffolk:																	
23. Main Street.....	140	140	.....	53	53	80	80	20	250	10	26	13	2,948	14,274	22 48	2	15
24. Oxford.....	51	51	.....	19	19	29	29	.....	70	3	10	5	485	3,560	20 94	1	7
25. Whaleyville and Som- erton.....	51	51	.....	19	19	29	29	16	99	8	10	5	370	2,154	6 77	1	15
26. Williamsburg.....	63	10	.....	24	4	35	6	.....	6	2	2	1	775	2,137	11 26	1	6
27. Windsor.....	63	44	.....	24	17	35	24	95	36	.....	8	5	700	2,563	8 27	1	25
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	2,334	2,009	.....	875	738	1,320	1,128	533	3,142	252	364	194	35,492	141,259	12 19	34	363
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	2,334	1,917	.....	875	713	1,320	1,085	464	3,108	183	.....	197	30,993	144,742	13 03	18	232
INCREASE.....		92	.....		25	.....	43	69	34	69	364	.....	4,499	.....	84	16	131
DECREASE.....			.....			.....						3	.....	3,483	.....	

RAPPAHANNOCK DISTRICT—F. B. McSPARRAN, Presiding Elder.

CHARGES	PASTORS	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profes- sion of Faith.	Additions by Certifi- cate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Mem- bership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Organized Churches.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value of Church Build- ings.	Indebtedness on Church Buildings.	Number of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Parsonages.	Value of All Other Church Property.	Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Total Insurance Carried.	Premium Paid.	Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.
1. Bethany.....	Bascom Dey.....	1	1	4	1	426			1	1	\$13,000		1	\$2,500		\$800	\$100	\$9,200	\$32				
2. Colonial Beach and Grace.....	B. D. Stephens.....		9		6	247		7	2	1	2,000		1	2,500	\$1,700	200		1,350	24				
3. East Matthews.....	J. D. Hosier.....		80	1	39	595	25	4	2	2	6,000		1	3,000		750	450	5,000	10				
4. East Middlesex.....	W. J. Boyd.....		8	5	16	344	5	2	2	2	5,000		1	2,500		1,000		3,500	36				
5. Essex.....	McDaniel Rucker...	29			8	470	29	1	4	3	6,000		1	1,200		150	318	600					
6. Gloucester.....	R. T. Clarke.....		14	7	15	584	12	8	5	5	17,000		1	3,000		200	340	2,000	3				
7. Gloucester Point.....	C. H. McNeil.....		83	10	7	368	83	1	3	3	6,000		1	1,500			811	5,000	14				
8. Heathsville.....	J. M. Greene.....		10	8	12	515	5	3	4	4	10,500		1	2,000		500	224	5,206	10				
9. Henderson Station.....	S. E. Lucas.....		7		13	571	7	1	1	2	5,000		1	3,000		800		2,300					
10. Irvington and Kilmar- nock.....	J. W. S. Robins.....		1	1	8	320		4	2	4	7,400		1	3,000		300	1,460	5,000	20				
11. King George.....	W. P. Province.....		6	2	9	363	6		4	4	9,500	\$300	1	1,500			100	5,000	10				
12. King and Queen.....	J. J. Gregory.....		1		8	351			4	4	10,200		1	1,500		25	24	750					
13. Lancaster.....	E. G. Hill.....	2	4	7	32	447	4	3	5	4	10,500		1	1,500		500	300	4,300					
14. Mathews.....	B. E. Hudson.....		60	5	15	1,008	21	10	5	5	10,000		1	4,000		800	1,340	4,750	54				
15. Middlesex.....	R. V. Owen.....	1	13	5	9	457	13	1	4	4	6,500		1	1,400		75	565	2,800					
16. Montross.....	E. S. Emory.....		26	3	6	479	15		4	4	10,000					10	4,750		1		\$150	\$150	
17. New Kent.....	J. W. Heckman.....	1		31	19	292			5	4	5,000	150	1	500	19	200	79	1,150	7				
18. Richmond Circuit.....	A. C. Jordan.....		58	1	8	689	50		4	4	10,525		1	1,500			200	3,500	19				
19. Shackelford's.....	W. E. Grant.....		17	2	35	518	13		4	4	6,500		1	3,000		5,000	100	3,000	15				
20. Toano.....	J. K. Walker.....	1	19	3	1	228	9	8	2	4	5,500		1	1,500		515	1,246		25				
21. Urbanna.....	H. P. Balderson.....	1	4		4	200	2		2	2	4,500		2	8,500		600	1,506	8,500	79				
22. West Lancaster.....	T. G. Laughon.....		23	5	2	307	14	1	2	2	4,000		1	1,500				3,500	13				
23. West Mathews.....	L. D. Stables.....		17	10	24	763	15	6	7	7	12,000		1	1,600		1,000	300	3,800	20				
24. Westmoreland.....	E. H. Hopkins.....		34	4	9	710	24	3	4	4	12,000		1	2,500			400	6,500	36				
25. West Point.....	F. E. H. McLean.....		7	7	36	178		1	1	1	10,500		1	2,500		600	250	6,000	22				
26. Whitestone.....	J. B. Askew.....		9	2	308	332	9	2	2	3	9,000		1	3,000			1,000	2,000					
TOTALS FOR 1917.....		7	540	123	650	11,762	359	66	85	87	214,125	450	26	60,200	1,719	14,015	11,123	99,456	449	1		150	150
TOTALS FOR 1916.....		11	705	244	871	11,962	499	71	88	90	205,375	2,429	26	58,300	2,862	7,840	6,581	99,300	430	1	1	80	30
INCREASE.....											8,750			1,900		6,175	4,542	156	19			70	120
DECREASE.....			165	121	221	200	140	5	3	3		1,979			1,143								

RAPPAHANNOCK DISTRICT—Continued.

CHARGES	Number of Epworth Leagues.	Epworth League Members.	Raised by Leagues for Missions (on Assessment).	Raised by Leagues for Missions (Special).	Collection League Anniversary Day.	Raised by Leagues for Other Objects.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Number of Sunday Schools.	Number Officers and Teachers.	Enrollment in all Departments.	Members in Home Department.	Children on Cradle Roll.	Number of Training Classes.	Number of Wesley Bible Classes.	Pupils Joining Church During the year.	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (on Assessment).	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (Special).	Raised on Children's Day.	Raised for Sunday School Supplies.	Raised by Sunday Schools for Other Objects.	Total Raised by Sunday Schools.
1. Bethany.....								1	27	370	15	45	2	2	1		\$26	\$10	\$94	\$110	\$240
2. Colonial Beach and Grace.....								2	18	243		8			9			8	72	8	88
3. East Mathews.....								2	40	611	40	35	1	3	54	\$20	19	12	315	30	396
4. East Middlesex.....								2	22	170		20		3		30		6	125		161
5. Essex.....								3	28	242								28		34	62
6. Gloucester.....								5	45	375		25	1		12	10	128	20	132	40	330
7. Gloucester Point.....								3	35	320		20			18		100	22	249	10	381
8. Heathsville.....								4	35	350					2		75	25	67	78	245
9. Henderson Station.....								2	26	300								11	130		141
10. Irvington and Kilmar-nock.....	1	25			\$55			4	45	302	26	23	1	2			50	22	125	443	640
11. King George.....								4	50	255					3	8	12	15	125	5	165
12. King and Queen.....								4	24	214							40	40			80
13. Lancaster.....								5	40	383	30	22			5		8	20	174	40	242
14. Mathews.....	2	65	\$21					5	70	675		12	1	1	35	40	200	24	265	100	631
15. Middlesex.....								4	42	254					8	10	30	11	186	26	263
16. Montross.....	2	41				\$10	\$10	4	46	320	12	16			8		58	10	110		178
17. New Kent.....								4	41	223						3		9	81		93
18. Richmond Circuit.....								4	40	403		35			45			15	86		101
19. Shackelford's.....								4	45	340		20			16	21		15	60	50	146
20. Toano.....								2	23	271	22	19		3	6		150	100	176	43	469
21. Urbanna.....								2	23	173					2	28	60	4	128	95	315
22. West Lancaster.....								2	32	203	34	29		3	16	10	37		101	91	239
23. West Mathews.....								7	76	596	15	15	1	1	10	50	77	34	200	32	393
24. Westmoreland.....	1	30				15	15	6	54	458					20		150	14	93	50	307
25. West Point.....								1	17	198	18	5		3			27	5	90	33	155
26. Whitestone.....								4	45	253					9			17	230		247
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	6	161	21		55	25	25	90	989	8,512	212	349	7	21	279	230	1,207	497	3,454	1,318	6,706
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	8	231		\$20	1	60	81	96	1,035	8,818	134	265	7	15	460	137	784	447	3,675	1,102	6,490
INCREASE.....			21		54						78	84		6		93	423	50		216	
DECREASE.....		70				35	56	6	46	306					181				221		

RAPPAHANNOCK DISTRICT—Continued.

CHARGES	Salary of Presiding Elder,		Salary of Pastor,		Bishops' Fund		Conference Claimants and Superannuate Endowment Fund		Foreign Missions			Home and Conference Missions				Woman's Work		
	Excluding Parsonage		Excluding Parsonage						On Assessment		Special	On Assessment		Home Missions (Special)	Conf. Missions (Special: Ferrum School)	Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Members	Amount Collected
	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Paid			
1. Bethany.....	\$143	\$143	\$1,300	\$1,300	\$26	\$26	\$144	\$144	\$146	\$146	\$300	\$190	\$190			2	150	\$500
2. Colonial Beach and Grace.....	81	81	700	700	11	3	61	20	60	20		78	26			1	14	10
3. East Mathews.....	124	124	1,200	1,200	23	12	133	70	126	72		165	95			4	170	470
4. East Middlesex.....	81	81	800	800	15	15	87	87	84	54	25	107	107			2	74	270
5. Essex.....	78	75	750	711	15	8	84	53	80	46		104	60			1	16	27
6. Gloucester.....	114	114	1,100	1,100	21	10	123	90	117	84		152	100		\$63	2	53	74
7. Gloucester Point.....	64	64	700	700	12	12	69	69	67	67		87	87					
8. Heathsville.....	105	105	1,000	1,000	19	10	113	55	108	50	36	139	55		5	3	65	120
9. Henderson Station....	105	105	1,100	1,155	19	19	113	113	108	108		139	139			1	70	100
10. Irvington and Kilmar- nock.....	63	63	900	900	11	11	68	68	65	65		83	83			2	50	260
11. King George.....	67	67	663	663	13	10	73	45	69	50		88	65					
12. King and Queen.....	49	44	470	419	9	3	53	20	57	30		65	33					
13. Lancaster.....	92	92	848	848	17	13	99	76	95	74		123	93			1	11	26
14. Mathews.....	128	128	1,200	1,200	24	24	138	138	132	120	21	171	171			1	57	158
15. Middlesex.....	76	76	700	700	14	7	83	42	101	50		78	39			2	46	207
16. Montross.....	48	48	525	525	9	6	52	49	50	33		65	40			1	31	35
17. New Kent.....	46	46	439	435	9	5	50	30	48	29		62	38					
18. Richmond Circuit.....	95	95	900	900	18	4	103	35	98	23		127	33					
19. Shackelford's.....	105	105	1,000	1,000	19	10	113	75	108	70		139	93			1	15	39
20. Toano.....	92	92	968	968	17	17	100	100	95	95	7	123	123			1	22	56
21. Urbanna.....	71	71	700	700	13	7	72	52	73	48		94	66			1	30	156
22. West Lancaster.....	59	59	600	600	11	11	64	64	61	61	9	79	79			2	40	100
23. West Mathews.....	114	114	1,200	1,200	21	7	123	41	117	43		152	55	\$5	5	3	54	121
24. Westmoreland.....	105	105	1,000	1,000	19	19	113	113	108	108	50	139	139			2	46	130
25. West Point.....	97	97	900	900	18	12	105	67	95	61		130	83		30	2	35	144
26. Whitestone.....	55	55	850	850	10	10	59	66	57	107	229	72	72			1		334
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	2,257	2,249	22,513	22,474	413	291	2,400	1,782	2,296	1,714	677	2,974	2,164	5	103	36	1,049	3,337
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	2,199	2,160	22,208	21,851	413	305	2,320	1,781	2,296	1,769	224	2,974	2,275		196	36	11,84	2,990
INCREASE.....	58	89	305	623			80	1			453			5				347
DECREASE.....						14				55			111		93		135	

RAPPAHANNOCK DISTRICT—Concluded.

CHARGES	Church Extension			Education				Rosebud Missionary Society	Virginia Conference Orphanage	American Bible Society	General Conference Expenses	Annual Conference Expenses	Raised for all other Objects	Total Raised for all Purposes	Average per Member	Church Papers	
	On Assessment		Special	Educational Extension		Randolph- Macon College										Copies of General Organ Taken	Copies of Conference Organ Taken
	Ass'd	Paid		Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd										
1. Bethany.....	\$108	\$108	.....	\$41	\$41	\$61	\$61	\$21	\$194	\$5	\$20	\$10	\$1,546	\$5,127	\$12 04	1	18
2. Colonial Beach and Grace.....	43	14	.....	16	5	25	6	7	25	.....	2	4	279	1,314	5 32	1	8
3. East Mathews.....	93	26	.....	35	16	53	27	32	121	12	7	7	858	4,005	6 73	1	15
4. East Middlesex.....	61	61	.....	23	23	35	35	24	12	5	12	6	785	2,599	7 55	.....	16
5. Essex.....	60	35	.....	22	12	34	19	41	25	18	6	3	705	2,224	4 73	.....	8
6. Gloucester.....	87	58	.....	33	21	48	25	95	86	.....	8	6	250	2,587	4 43	1	40
7. Gloucester Point.....	49	49	.....	18	18	29	29	87	18	8	10	5	363	2,792	7 59	.....	12
8. Heathsville.....	80	35	.....	30	15	45	20	41	63	5	10	5	466	2,575	5 00	1	20
9. Henderson Station....	80	80	.....	30	30	45	45	.....	118	.....	12	8	400	2,573	4 51	.....	.....
10. Irvington and Kilmar- nock.....	48	48	.....	18	18	27	27	44	164	5	10	5	484	4,430	13 87	1	25
11. King George.....	51	40	.....	19	12	29	20	38	27	5	3	5	444	1,769	4 88	.....	18
12. King and Queen.....	37	15	.....	14	8	20	10	6	8	8	2	2	128	840	2 39	.....	9
13. Lancaster.....	70	52	.....	26	19	39	29	15	54	.....	9	4	250	2,196	4 91	1	32
14. Mathews.....	98	98	.....	37	37	55	55	112	200	10	8	9	894	5,427	5 37	3	40
15. Middlesex.....	58	29	.....	22	11	33	16	.....	32	5	5	3	275	2,326	5 09	2	18
16. Montross.....	37	18	.....	14	7	21	14	17	24	.....	1	2	140	1,307	2 73	1	25
17. New Kent.....	35	21	.....	13	8	20	12	14	1	.....	4	2	55	879	3 01	.....	19
18. Richmond Circuit.....	72	17	.....	27	8	41	6	19	20	2	2	2	325	1,812	2 65	.....	8
19. Shackelford's.....	80	52	.....	30	18	45	33	53	39	.....	5	8	250	2,112	4 08	.....	15
20. Toano.....	70	70	.....	26	26	40	40	.....	100	2	14	7	284	3,741	16 41	2	10
21. Urbanna.....	54	32	.....	20	10	30	22	23	60	2	2	5	577	3,773	18 87	4	12
22. West Lancaster.....	45	45	.....	7	17	26	26	97	44	.....	8	4	503	1,979	6 45	.....	9
23. West Mathews.....	87	29	.....	32	11	48	16	78	69	2	5	3	550	3,067	4 15	3	40
24. Westmoreland.....	80	80	.....	30	30	45	45	34	75	10	16	8	371	3,091	4 35	.....	.....
25. West Point.....	74	47	.....	28	18	42	27	.....	33	2	9	4	871	2,832	15 91	.....	13
26. Whitestone.....	41	41	.....	15	15	24	24	54	178	15	8	4	211	3,520	10 60	2	25
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	1,698	1,200	.....	636	453	960	689	959	1,790	121	198	131	12,264	71,127	6 05	24	455
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	1,698	1,218	\$28	636	440	960	678	1,032	1,610	119	.....	132	11,748	63,899	5 34	16	418
INCREASE.....					13		11		180	2	198		516	7,228	71	8	37
DECREASE.....		18						73				1					

CHARGES	PASTORS	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Organized Churches.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value of Church Buildings.	Indebtedness on Church Buildings.	Number of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Parsonages.	Value of All Other Church Property.	Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Total Insurance Carried.	Premium Paid.	Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.
1. Ashland.....	D. T. Merritt.....	2	6	10	27	356	4	1	2	2	\$18,500	\$4,800	1	\$3,000			\$3,728	\$9,000	\$33				
2. Ashland Circuit.....	N. C. Rice.....		75	3	52	401	63		5	5	6,000					\$500							
3. Bowling Green.....	P. J. Murdock.....	1	5	5	16	363	2	1	4	4	9,500		1	2,500			170	1,000	6				
4. Caroline.....	F. W. England.....		42	46	55	594	38		5	5	10,500	300	1	1,600			700	5,050	31				
5. Charles City.....	M. F. Draper.....		14	2	8	236	14		4	4	5,500					1,000	25	2,000	16				
6. Goochland.....	C. W. Moss.....		14	2	3	390	13		4	4	5,500		1	600									
7. Hanover.....	W. S. Deyerle.....		39	28	12	674	39	4	4	4	7,700		1	2,000		1,000	1,435	5,500	38				
8. Henrico.....	L. C. Smart.....		34	9	4	309	33		3	3	6,000		1	1,500		300	25	2,200	15				
9. King William.....	J. J. Clarke.....		13		9	393	13		4	4	7,000		1	1,000		250	250	2,750	15				
Richmond:																							
10. Asbury and Oakland	J. O. Babcock.....		27	19	28	475	17	4	2	2	7,500		1	3,500		500	459	6,600	24				
11. Barton Heights.....	T. McN. Simpson.....		2	60	44	501	1	11	1	1	10,000					4,500	77	7,000					
12. Branch Memorial.....	W. O. Gordon.....		29	30	22	141	23	3	1	1	3,500					3,500	50	2,000					
13. Broad Street.....	F. R. Chénault.....	2	68	105	56	686	30	7	1	1	60,000		1	10,000			227	30,300	18				
14. Centenary.....	T. A. Smoot.....		27	77	59	1,128	7	10	1	1	80,000		1	15,000		57,050		45,250	139				
15. Central.....	R. M. Maxey.....		21	39	28	776	12	5	1	1	30,000		1	7,000	\$500	5,000	650	29,950	33				
16. Clay Street.....	G. H. Newbury.....	1	24	44	18	635	24		1	1	20,000		1	5,000		3,000		15,000	9				
17. Decatur Street.....	S. L. Dumville.....		33	12	65	484	10	9	1	1	18,000	6,100	1	3,000		3,000	1,550	10,000	26				
18. Denny Street and Fulton Hill.....	R. N. Hartness.....	1	47	21	127	527	34	4	2	2	35,000	10,300	1	3,000		500	700	14,400	37				
19. Epworth.....	C. E. Johnson.....	1	16	25	47	320	14	9	1	1	4,500		1	3,500	1,850	750	85	4,000					
20. Fairmount Avenue and Chelsea Hill..	L. T. Hitt.....	1	47	14	14	588	29	2	1	2	27,000	1,380	1	2,200		750	1,104	16,000	150				
21. Grace.....	J. B. Peters.....	1	18	53	6	190	1	1								500	72	500	6				
22. Highland Park.....	R. M. White.....		49	44	28	668	21	5	1	1	30,000	13,500				6,500	6,864	21,100	11				
23. Highland Springs...	H. D. Mollart.....		4	7	5	311	3	5	2	2	7,800					300		1,500					
24. Laurel Street.....	W. G. Boggs.....	1	15	17	32	642	7	13	1	1	35,000		1	6,000		4,250	2,640	18,000	30				
25. Monument.....	G. H. Lambeth.....		51	109	186	861	31	9	1	1	90,000	30,000	1	9,000	5,000	1,750	745	43,650	15				
26. Park Place and Orphanage.....	W. E. Thompson.....		5	34	23	627		7	1	1	75,000		1	12,000	3,825	1,000	965	49,000	217				
27. Saint James.....	J. T. Green.....	2	17	15	100	512	7	3	1	1	22,500	3,800	1	3,500	1,500			14,300	19				
28. Saint Paul's.....	V. L. Marsh.....		8	8	38	279	4	2			9,000					500	265	5,000					
29. Trinity and Mission.	Starke Jett.....	1	36	14	25	463	21	8	1	1	25,000		1	3,000	1,500	1,000		18,000	25				
30. Union Station.....	M. S. Colonna.....	2	54	62	156	1,412	29	9	1	1	35,000	3,900	1	3,500			450	29,000	12				
31. West End.....	G. W. M. Taylor.....	1	11	6	13	392	6	11	1	1	4,000		1	3,000		3,500		2,000	67				
32. Woodland Heights...	A. C. Berryman.....		5	20	10	177	5	8	1	1	1,500					1,500		1,500					
33. Spottsylvania.....	F. R. Holland.....	2	23	11	14	575	22		7	7	8,000		1	1,200		325	460	3,200	13				
TOTALS FOR 1917.....		19	879	971	1,330	17,086	577	151	66	67	714,500	74,080	24	105,600	14,175	103,075	23,696	414,750	1,005				
TOTALS FOR 1916.....		20	1,040	936	1,049	16,377	585	160	63	63	680,300	87,550	24	108,000	9,242	66,881	34,050	386,050	930				
INCREASE.....				35	281	709			3	4	24,200				4,933	36,194		28,700	75				
DECREASE.....		1	161				8	9				13,470		2,400		10,354							

Richmond District—Continued.

CHARGES	Number of Epworth Leagues.	Epworth League Members.	Raised by Leagues for Missions (on Assessment).	Raised by Leagues for Missions (Special).	Collection League Anniversary Day.	Raised by Leagues for Other Objects.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Number of Sunday Schools.	Number of Officers and Teachers.	Enrollment in All Departments.	Members in Home Department.	Children on Cradle Roll.	Number of Training Classes.	Number of Wesley Bible Classes.	Pupils Joining Church During the Year.	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (on Assessment).	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (Special).	Raised on Children's Day.	Raised for Sunday School Supplies.	Raised by Sunday Schools for Other Objects.	Total Raised by Sunday Schools.
1. Ashland.....	1	30						2	29	382	67	21	1	4	4	\$50		\$14	\$420	\$21	\$505
2. Ashland Circuit.....								5	42	392				1	34			13	92	259	364
3. Bowling Green.....	3	80						4	36	325	40	45				40		15	80	60	195
4. Caroline.....								5	38	326	10	41		3	31		\$100	25	90	200	415
5. Charles City.....								3	17	75					5			9	35	40	90
6. Goochland.....								2	21	210	30	43		3	4	5		25	28	24	89
7. Hanover.....	2	114	\$45			\$95	\$140	4	72	707	117	91	1	5	30		200	21	145	100	466
8. Henrico.....								3	28	240		25			15	15		17	175		207
9. King William.....								3	30	250		16			12		8	8	94		110
Richmond:																					
10. Asbury and Oakland	1	94		20	\$1	60	81	2	34	429	12	48		1	21			7	109	279	395
11. Barton Heights.....	1	36		\$15		50	65	1	41	569	82	43	1	1	2		365	19	653		1,037
12. Branch Memorial...	1	26						1	16	340					5	39		3	262		304
13. Broad Street.....	2	87		50	3	57	110	1	39	729	55	16	1	4	18		190	11	275	661	1,137
14. Centenary.....	1	35				118	118	1	38	484	104	36	1	3	11		831	32	305	178	1,346
15. Central.....	1	35		29	10	20	59	1	33	596	69	50		7	14		465	15	581		1,061
16. Clay Street.....	2	76		60	3	273	336	1	38	293	30	15			18			12		514	526
17. Decatur Street.....	1	54		5	1	54	60	1	39	641	29	81	1	4	21		100	10	844		1,054
18. Denny Street and Fulton Hill.....	3	119		35	3	302	340	2	66	536	30	77	1	3	36	51	122	30	172	1,281	1,656
19. Epworth.....	1	44						1	29	334					22	60		3	610		673
20. Fairmount Avenue and Chelsea Hill...								2	50	564				1	25			8	310	150	468
21. Grace.....	1	25						1	28	236	21	24			12		51	12	141	351	555
22. Highland Park.....	1	35						2	64	888	80	106	1	15	39		210	14	400	970	1,594
23. Highland Springs.....								2	29	466	96	35		2	3	31		17	205	106	359
24. Laurel Street.....	2	61		35		33	68	1	38	603	83	35		3	8			9	195	509	713
25. Monument.....	2	101		50	5	31	86	1	57	751	75	33	1	3	44		600	40	325	950	1,915
26. Park Place and Orphanage.....	2	47		15		100	115	1	21	275				2	5	105				150	255
27. Saint James.....	2	60			2	58	60	1	31	345	25	20		1	15			3	75	575	653
28. Saint Paul's.....	2	55				35	35	1	25	255						43		2	210		255
29. Trinity and Mission.	1	29		30	2	22	54	1	26	219	26	12	1	3	27		47	6	103	189	345
30. Union Station.....	2	122		60	9	154	223	1	85	1,117	42	47	1	1	30			10	282	1,973	2,265
31. West End.....	2	34		16		33	49	1	26	300				2				6		351	357
32. Woodland Heights...	1	45	5	10		8	23	1	22	235	24	21		2	4		64	8	49	84	205
33. Spottsylvania.....	4	100		7		11	24	7	54	409		84			20		12	3	44	36	95
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	42	1,544	50	443	39	1,514	2,046	66	1,242	14,521	1,147	1,065	11	78	535	654	3,516	406	7,309	10,011	21,664
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	34	1,327		225	7	770	1,144	62	1,138	13,521	877	1,058	21	56	654	40	2,302	329	5,562	8,850	19,040
INCREASE.....	8	217	50	218	32	744	892	4	104	1,000	270	7		22		614	1,214	77	1,747	1,161	2,620

CHARGES	Salary of Presiding Elder, Excluding Parsonage		Salary of Pastor, Excluding Parsonage		Bishops' Fund		Conference Claimants and Superannuate Endowment Fund		Foreign Missions			Home and Conference Missions				Woman's Work		
									On Assessment		Special	On Assessment		Home Missions (Special)	Conf. Missions (Special: Ferrum School)	Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Members	Amount Collected
	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Paid			
1. Ashland.....	\$117	\$117	\$1,425	\$1,425	\$28	\$28	\$153	\$153	\$156	\$156	\$250	\$190	\$190		\$27	1	80	\$792
2. Ashland Circuit.....	29	30	512	517	6	6	38	38	36	36		48	48					
3. Bowling Green.....	54	54	735	800	12	12	71	71	68	60	100	88	60		20	1	16	57
4. Caroline.....	63	63	832	932	14	14	82	82	78	78	4	102	102					
5. Charles City.....	40	40	600	600	9	9	53	53	50	50	9	65	65			2	16	
6. Goochland.....	34	34	511	388	7	3	44	21	42	42		55	23			3	133	355
7. Hanover.....	68	68	1,000	1,000	15	15	79	79	75	75		75	75			1	41	275
8. Henrico.....	51	51	652	652	11	11	67	67	63	63		83	83		32	2	50	110
9. King William.....	46	46	600	600	11	7	60	40	57	37		75	53					
Richmond:																		
10. Asbury and Oakland	84	84	1,250	1,250	19	19	110	110	105	105		136	136		30	1	70	147
11. Barton Heights.....	137	137	2,000	2,000	30	30	179	179	170	170		221	221	\$100	105	2	117	675
12. Branch Memorial...	35	35	720	750	3	3	9	9	39	39		39	39					
13. Broad Street.....	161	161	1,800	1,800	36	36	211	211	201	201	53	261	261	144	87	3	125	920
14. Centenary.....	245	245	3,000	3,000	55	55	320	320	306	306	1,888	396	396	439	100	3	139	738
15. Central.....	154	154	2,000	2,000	34	34	202	202	192	192	500	249	249	136		1	52	251
16. Clay Street.....	124	124	1,600	1,600	28	28	162	162	156	156	600	200	200		105	1	72	680
17. Decatur Street.....	98	98	1,200	1,200	22	22	128	128	122	122	5	159	159		50	1	46	79
18. Denny Street and Fulton Hill.....	95	95	1,200	1,200	21	8	124	60	119	50		153	75					
19. Epworth.....	49	49	750	750	11	11	64	64	62	32		81	51					
20. Fairmount Avenue and Chelsea Hill..	91	91	1,200	1,200	20	12	119	45	114	60		148	55					
21. Grace.....	26	26	1,100	1,100	6	6	34	34	43	43	62	33	33					
22. Highland Park.....	126	126	1,600	1,600	28	28	165	165	158	158		205	205	179		3	143	404
23. Highland Springs...	43	43	630	710	11	11	59	59	57	57		74	74					
24. Laurel Street.....	119	119	1,400	1,400	26	20	156	116	149	132		193	83		111	1	33	112
25. Monument.....	189	189	2,600	2,600	42	42	247	247	237	237	209	306	306		292	3	116	996
26. Park Place and Or- phanage.....	175	175	2,500	2,500	39	39	229	229	219	219		284	284			1	54	582
27. Saint James.....	105	105	1,500	1,500	23	23	137	137	102	102	50	114	201	50	37	2	32	182
28. Saint Paul's.....	70	70	930	930	16	7	92	41	89	15		115	10					
29. Trinity and Mission.	101	101	1,200	1,200	22	22	132	132	126	126		164	164	212	68	2	88	239
30. Union Station.....	182	185	2,300	2,300	43	43	238	238	228	228		295	295		50	2	175	914
31. West End.....	86	86	1,080	1,080	20	20	113	113	108	108		139	139	20		1	35	47
32. Woodland Heights..	53	53	850	850	12	12	68	68	66	66	25	85	85		18	1	40	105
33. Spottsylvania.....	44	44	600	600	11	6	58	34	56	34		72	43			1	15	42
TOTALS FOR 1917....	3,094	3,098	41,877	42,034	696	642	4,050	3,707	3,874	3,562	3,705	5,024	4,301	1,258	1,344	39	1,688	8,702
TOTALS FOR 1916....	3,122	3,132	36,218	36,534	696	645	3,915	3,631	3,874	3,577	1,853	5,024	4,617	2,184	794	35	1,730	8,308
INCREASE.....			5,659	5,500			135	76			1,852				550	4		394
DECREASE.....	28	24				3				15			316	926			42	

RICHMOND DISTRICT—Concluded.

CHARGES	Church Extension			Education				Rosebud Missionary Society	Virginia Conference Orphanage	American Bible Society	General Conference Expenses	Annual Conference Expenses	Raised for all other Objects	Total Raised for all Purposes	Average Per Member	Church Papers		
	On Assessment		Special	Educational Extension		Randolph- Macon College										Copies of General Organ Taken	Copies of Conference Organ Taken	
	Ass'd	Paid		Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd											Paid
1. Ashland.....	\$103	\$103		\$40	\$40	\$61	\$61	\$22	\$177	\$31	\$20	\$10	\$667	\$8,513	\$23 90		9	21
2. Ashland Circuit.....	27	27		10	10	15	15	1	6	5	5	3	143	1,254	3 01		1	12
3. Bowling Green.....	50	40		19	8	28	20	47	11		10	5	795	2,541	7 00		1	36
4. Caroline.....	60	60	\$2	22	22	33	33	50	12		11	6	700	3,313	5 58		2	45
5. Charles City.....	37	37		14	14	21	21	13	20		7	4	300	1,373	5 80			11
6. Goochland.....	31	10		12	5	17	7	18	18	5	2	1	127	793	2 03			10
7. Hanover.....	54	54		18	18	30	30	94	148		12	6	1,146	5,436	8 07			22
8. Henrico.....	47	47		18	18	27	27		40		9	5	124	1,749	5 66			10
9. King William.....	42	27		16	10	24	15	42	39	2	5	3	256	1,637	4 07		1	15
Richmond:																		
10. Asbury and Oakland	77	77		29	29	44	44		46	5	14	7	794	3,856	8 01		1	15
11. Barton Heights.....	128	128		118	47	71	71	5	326	21	23	11	1,314	6,723	13 42		3	20
12. Branch Memorial...	14	14		6	6	5	5	15	7	2	2	3	1,300	2,584	18 34			2
13. Broad Street.....	148	143		55	55	84	84	98	250	25	28	14	4,585	10,652	15 51		1	20
14. Centenary.....	226	226		84	84	128	128	35	279	125	42	21	10,785	20,815	18 45		6	35
15. Central.....	142	142		53	53	81	81		234	25	27	13	1,774	7,869	10 14		1	39
16. Clay Street.....	114	114		43	43	65	65		293	15	21	10	3,578	8,664	13 65			
17. Decatur Street.....	90	90		34	34	51	51	14	139	10	17	8	1,910	6,725	13 90		2	9
18. Denny Street and Fulton Hill.....	87	40		33	15	49	20	1	30	53	6	4	1,740	6,139	11 65		1	10
19. Epworth.....	45	45		17	17	27	27	11	39	3	9	4	653	2,542	8 00			6
20. Fairmount Avenue and Chelsea Hill..	84	20		32	10	48	15		20		10	5	1,560	4,825	8 21		2	20
21. Grace.....	24	24		9	9	14	14			5	5	3	2,098	4,035	21 51		1	6
22. Highland Park.....	117	117		44	44	66	66		158	11	22	11	1,717	13,480	20 18		4	28
23. Highland Springs...	43	43		16	16	24	24	43	8		8	4	2,460	3,919	12 60		2	16
24. Laurel Street.....	110	50		41	15	62	42		331	4	6	5	953	6,950	10 83			35
25. Monument.....	175	175		65	65	99	99	24	522	30	16	33	6,445	15,288	17 75		4	30
26. Park Place and Or- phanage.....	162	162		60	60	92	92	37	219		31	16	2,046	8,243	13 15			
27. Saint James.....	97	97		36	36	55	55		100	2	18	9	3,438	6,321	12 15		2	20
28. Saint Paul's.....	65	29		25	11	37	16		3	1	6	3	481	2,178	7 81			4
29. Trinity and Mission.	93	93		35	35	53	53	17	365	50	18	9	2,773	6,102	13 25		4	11
30. Union Station.....	168	168		63	63	95	95	39	111	6	32	15	3,490	11,222	8 00			
31. West End.....	30	30		30	30	45	45	65	53		15	8	277	2,609	6 72		1	20
32. Woodland Heights..	49	49		18	18	27	27	18	37	20	9	5	1,131	2,824	16 00		1	9
33. Spottsylvania.....	41	24		16	9	23	13	17	43	3	5	3	341	1,843	3 20			15
TOTALS FOR 1917	2,864	2,515	2	1,072	949	1,620	1,461	730	4,084	459	471	267	61,901	193,077	11 30		50	552
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	2,864	2,512	13	1,072	1,031	1,620	1,469	702	4,283	244		248	58,803	190,460	11 63		44	479
INCREASE.....		3						28		215	471	19	3,098	2,617			6	73
DECREASE.....			11		132		8		199						33			

STATISTICS OF ALL DISTRICTS, VIRGINIA CONFERENCE, 1917.

DISTRICTS	PRESIDING ELDERS	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profes- sion of Faith.	Additions by Certifi- cate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Mem- bership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Organized Churches.	Number of Church Buildings.	Value of Church Buildings.	Indebtedness on Church Buildings.	Number of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Parsonages.	Value of All Other Church Property.	Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Total Insurance Carried.	Premium Paid.	Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.
1. Charlottesville.....	R. T. Waterfield...	6	826	234	681	17,143	703	43	132	124	\$241,260	\$1,561	26	\$69,100	\$1,825	\$10,650	\$6,908	\$122,020	\$ 284	...	...	...	...
2. Danville.....	S. J. Brown.....	11	611	676	808	10,914	431	26	96	95	308,850	15,200	21	61,300	595	16,810	12,497	169,650	727	...	...	...	...
3. Eastern Shore.....	J. F. Carey.....	7	462	136	489	9,934	219	192	61	62	311,450	15,024	24	68,900	7,022	12,600	29,923	166,000	535	2	...	\$115	\$ 90
4. Farmville.....	H. C. Pfeiffer.....	6	459	167	417	9,775	344	49	88	88	262,100	9,859	20	53,100	1,682	18,975	10,777	120,800	607	...	1	300	...
5. Lynchburg.....	W. T. Green.....	9	738	485	951	14,299	504	79	104	101	408,250	3,750	24	75,000	6,272	13,100	20,972	213,650	485	1	...	50	9
6. Norfolk.....	Geo. W. Jones.....	6	554	750	794	12,807	300	153	47	51	755,250	124,412	23	84,700	17,495	103,092	37,070	305,770	2,687	...	...	...	...
7. Petersburg.....	B. F. Lipscomb...	9	798	501	500	14,512	560	122	101	101	382,900	9,390	26	80,250	1,819	42,850	25,038	188,510	1,045	1	...	2	...
8. Portsmouth and New- port News.....	W. H. Edwards....	3	533	811	616	11,591	354	86	60	61	536,603	69,175	24	73,350	7,830	44,850	37,601	240,975	995	1	...	72	72
9. Rappahannock.....	F. B. McSparran....	7	540	123	650	11,762	359	66	85	87	214,125	450	26	60,200	1,719	14,015	11,123	99,456	449	1	...	150	150
10. Richmond.....	R. H. Potts.....	19	879	971	1,330	17,086	577	151	66	67	714,500	74,080	24	105,600	14,175	103,075	23,696	414,750	1,005	...	...	...	...
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	.....	83	6,400	4,854	7,236	129,823	4,351	967	840	837	4,135,293	322,901	238	731,500	60,434	385,017	215,655	2,041,601	8,819	6	1	689	321
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	.....	91	7,588	4,909	8,647	126,595	5,158	1,050	837	835	3,869,915	340,458	233	696,400	57,196	341,491	215,691	2,052,057	6,865	2	2	145	95
INCREASE.....	.....	...	...	...	...	3,228	...	...	3	2	265,378	...	5	35,100	3,238	43,526	...	...	1,954	4	...	544	226
DECREASE.....	.....	8	1,188	55	1,411	...	807	83	...	...	...	17,557	...	...	...	...	36	10,456	...	...	1	...	...

STATISTICS OF ALL DISTRICTS, VIRGINIA CONFERENCE, 1917—Continued.

DISTRICTS	Number of Epworth Leagues	Epworth League Members	Raised by Leagues for Missions (on Assessment)	Raised by Leagues for Missions (Special)	Collection League Anniversary Day	Raised by Leagues for Other Objects	Total Raised by Leagues	Number of Sunday Schools	Number Officers and Teachers	Enrollment in All Departments	Members in Home Department	Children on Cradle Roll	Number of Training Classes	Number of Wesley Bible Classes	Pupils Joining Church During the year	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (on Assessment)	Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions (Special)	Raised on Children's Day	Raised for Sunday School Supplies	Raised by Sunday Schools for Other Objects	Total Raised by Sunday Schools
1. Charlottesville.....	5	280	\$8	\$54	....	\$77	\$139	127	1,123	10,438	659	577	7	18	390	\$344	\$1,502	\$244	\$3,079	\$893	\$6,062
2. Danville.....	3	52	....	....	....	10	10	95	771	9,534	441	484	3	22	343	530	489	115	3,010	2,424	6,568
3. Eastern Shore.....	9	588	....	40	....	61	101	61	905	10,528	184	897	14	110	356	791	2,108	249	3,840	3,667	10,655
4. Farmville.....	6	164	5	12	....	43	60	92	846	7,373	172	361	6	18	243	111	960	284	2,814	1,157	5,326
5. Lynchburg.....	16	761	33	31	1	262	327	102	1,054	11,813	741	563	8	29	487	499	1,501	402	3,398	3,160	8,960
6. Norfolk.....	10	600	10	50	4	515	579	49	1,119	11,643	484	657	6	34	459	1,623	1,548	397	5,763	7,747	17,078
7. Petersburg.....	4	130	3	....	....	105	108	98	1,237	11,271	345	672	5	24	462	518	1,667	476	5,548	2,495	10,704
8. Portsmouth and Newport News.....	19	928	26	151	12	959	1,148	60	903	10,083	566	731	9	33	356	797	1,083	222	5,149	4,317	11,568
9. Rappahannock.....	6	161	21	....	55	25	25	90	989	8,512	212	349	7	21	279	230	1,207	497	3,454	1,318	6,706
10. Richmond.....	42	1,544	50	443	39	1,514	2,046	66	1,242	14,521	1,147	1,065	11	78	535	654	3,516	406	7,309	10,011	21,896
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	120	5,208	156	781	111	3,631	4,543	840	10,189	105,716	4,951	6,356	76	337	3,910	6,097	15,581	3,292	43,364	37,189	105,523
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	94	4,304	18	423	78	2,292	2,984	847	10,065	105,022	4,043	5,919	87	303	4,571	5,433	10,911	2,950	40,660	35,355	95,706
INCREASE.....	26	904	138	358	33	1,339	1,559	.....	124	694	908	437	.....	84	.....	664	4,670	342	2,704	1,834	9,817
DECREASE.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	661	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

STATISTICS OF ALL DISTRICTS, VIRGINIA CONFERENCE, 1917—Continued.

DISTRICTS	Salary of Presiding Elder, Excluding Parsonage		Salary of Pastor, Excluding Parsonage		Bishops' Fund		Conference Claimants and Superannuate Endowment Fund		Foreign Missions			Home and Conference Missions				Woman's Work		
									On Assessment		Special	On Assessment		Home Missions (Special)	Conf. Missions (Special: Ferrum School)	Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Members	Amount Collected
	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Paid	Paid			
1. Charlottesville.....	\$2,056	\$2,035	\$24,190	\$24,209	\$413	\$316	\$2,400	\$1,877	\$2,296	\$1,685	\$157	\$2,974	\$2,239	.....	\$251	24	622	\$1,828
2. Danville.....	2,326	2,307	21,736	21,925	413	366	2,400	2,170	2,296	1,905	2,797	2,974	2,707	1,650	3,494	27	757	3,443
3. Eastern Shore.....	3,032	3,032	27,958	28,474	492	491	2,850	2,880	2,727	2,264	4,040	3,532	3,358	34	1,644	59	1,747	5,120
4. Farmville.....	2,275	2,270	24,320	24,299	439	367	2,550	2,072	2,440	2,061	3,580	3,160	2,562	.....	565	23	863	3,140
5. Lynchburg.....	2,210	2,185	26,920	26,894	492	435	2,850	2,636	2,727	2,371	12,401	3,532	3,154	.....	3,704	37	1,091	3,139
6. Norfolk.....	2,700	2,700	33,770	33,953	646	585	3,750	3,406	3,587	2,684	1,820	4,648	3,753	218	3,399	45	1,769	6,172
7. Petersburg.....	2,650	2,641	33,431	33,466	594	522	3,450	3,177	3,300	2,892	1,500	4,276	3,697	154	848	32	1,004	4,098
8. Portsmouth and New- port News.....	2,403	2,403	31,250	31,385	568	517	3,300	2,919	3,157	2,602	2,280	4,090	3,464	58	1,169	37	1,188	7,550
9. Rappahannock.....	2,257	2,249	22,513	22,474	413	291	2,400	1,782	2,296	1,714	677	2,974	2,164	5	103	36	1,049	3,337
10. Richmond.....	3,094	3,098	41,877	42,034	696	642	4,050	3,707	3,874	3,562	3,705	5,024	4,301	1,258	1,344	39	1,688	8,702
TOTALS FOR 1917.....	25,003	24,920	287,965	289,113	5,166	4,532	30,000	26,626	28,700	23,740	32,957	37,184	31,399	3,377	16,521	359	11,778	46,529
TOTALS FOR 1916.....	24,557	24,419	266,979	267,490	5,166	4,286	30,000	24,228	28,700	22,154	15,865	37,184	29,031	3,744	10,869	361	11,813	42,801
INCREASE.....	446	501	20,986	21,623	.....	246	.....	2,398	.....	1,586	17,092	.....	1,468	.....	5,652	.....	.....	3,728
DECREASE.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	367	.....	2	35	.....

ASSESSMENTS FOR 1917-'18.

DISTRICTS	Per Cent.	Conference Claimants	Bishops' Fund	Educational Extension	Randolph-Macon College	Church Extension	Home and Conference Missions	Foreign Missions	Virginia Conference Orphanage	Annual Conference Expenses	General Conference Expenses	Totals
Charlottesville.....	8	\$ 2,480	\$ 413	\$ 636	\$ 960	\$ 1,698	\$ 2,974	\$ 2,296	\$ 2,160	\$ 200	\$ 240	\$ 14,057
Danville.....	8	2,480	413	636	960	1,698	2,974	2,296	2,160	200	240	14,057
Eastern Shore.....	10	3,100	517	795	1,200	2,122	3,718	2,870	2,700	250	300	17,572
Farmville.....	8	2,480	413	636	960	1,698	2,974	2,296	2,160	200	240	14,057
Lynchburg.....	8.5	2,635	439	676	1,020	1,804	3,160	2,440	2,295	213	255	14,937
Norfolk.....	12	3,720	620	954	1,440	2,546	4,462	3,444	3,240	300	360	21,086
Petersburg.....	12	3,720	620	954	1,440	2,546	4,462	3,444	3,240	300	360	21,086
Portsmouth and Newport News.....	11	3,410	568	875	1,320	2,334	4,090	3,157	2,970	275	330	19,329
Rappahannock.....	8	2,480	413	636	960	1,698	2,974	2,296	2,160	200	240	14,057
Richmond.....	14.5	4,495	750	1,155	1,740	3,076	5,396	4,161	3,915	362	435	25,485
Totals.....	100	*\$31,000	\$5,166	**\$7,953	\$12,000	†\$21,220	\$37,184	\$28,700	\$27,000	\$2,500	††\$3,000	\$175,723

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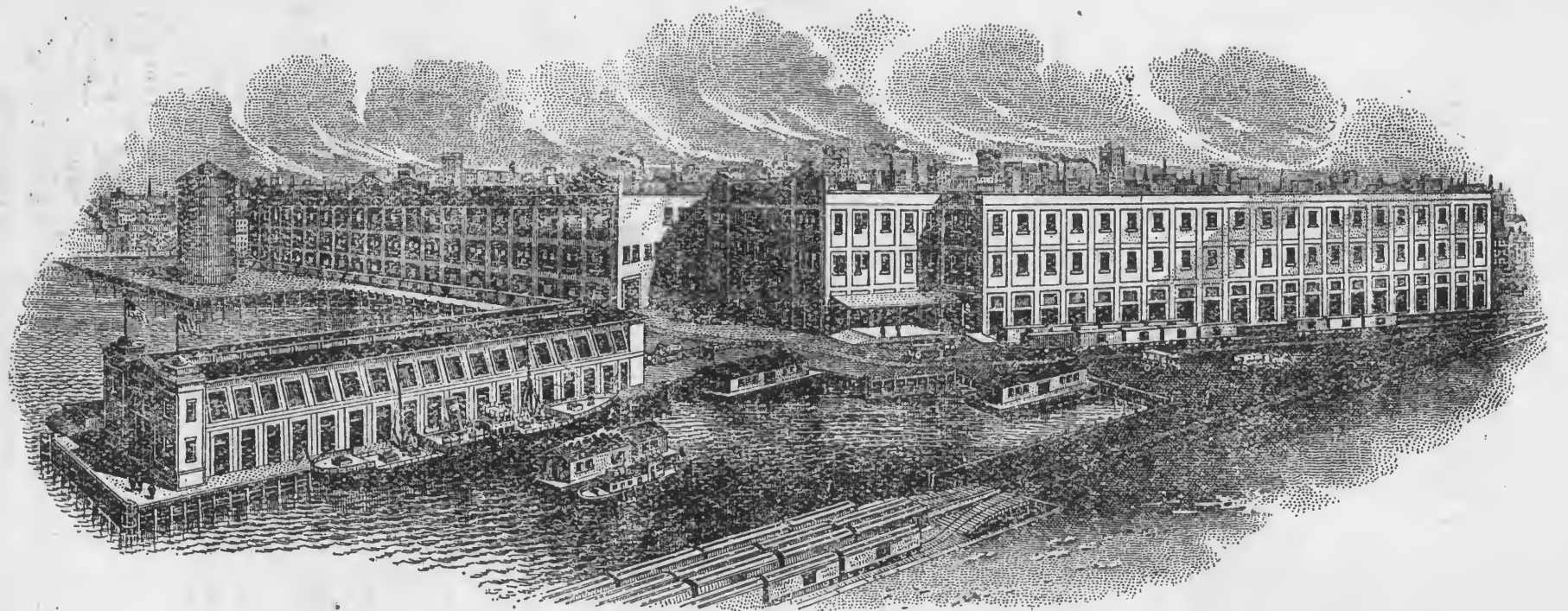
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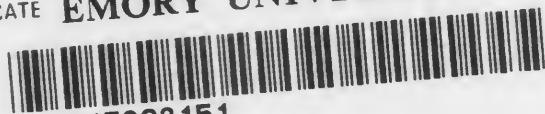
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